



The Climber

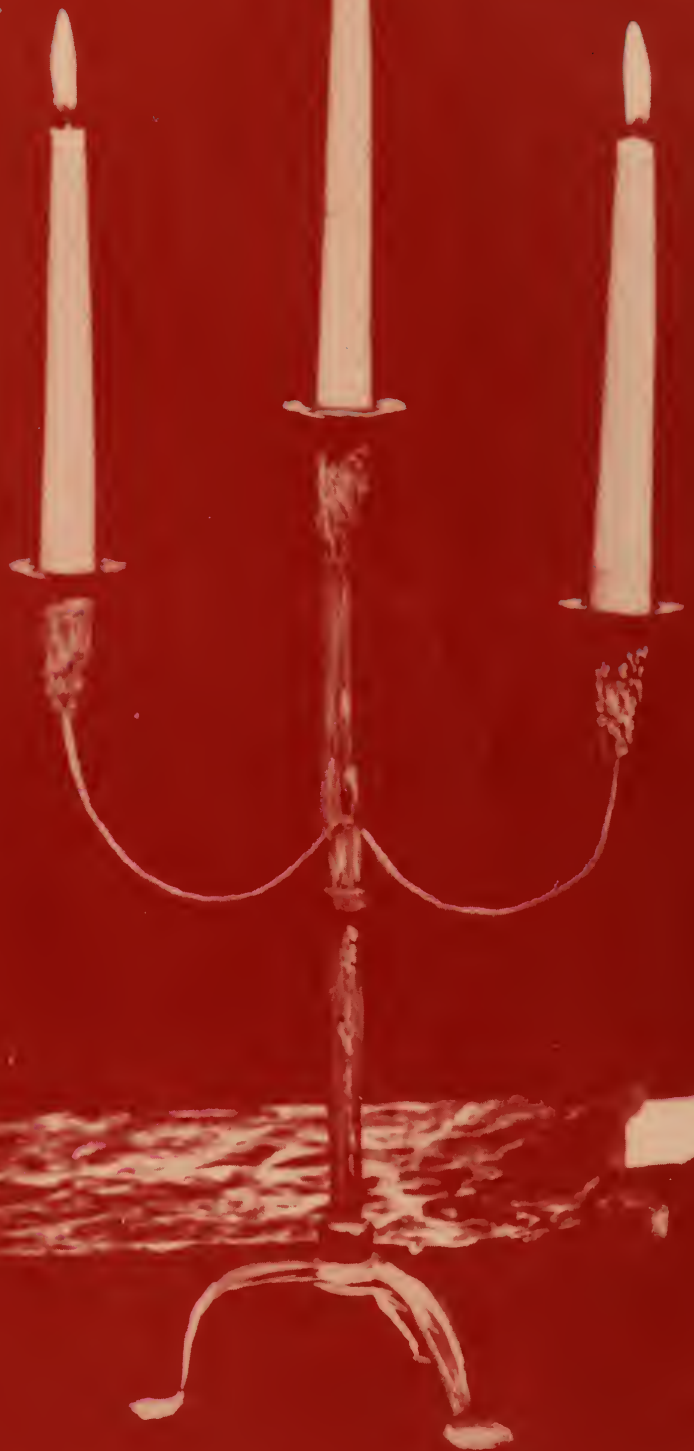
1956 A.D.



WEST BRIDGEWATER
PUBLIC LIBRARY



3 1611 00091 7515



West Bridgewater
Public Library



Added June = 1956

Accession _____

Class No. _____

THIS BOOK

a gift to the library

from

Climber Staff of West
Bridgewater High School 1956

An open book is shown, with its pages displaying text from the Bible. A climbing plant with small, dark leaves is draped over the book, its branches and leaves partially obscuring the text. The background is dark and textured.

THE CLIMBER 1956 WEST BRIDGEWATER HIGH SCHOOL

PRESENTATION A TRIBUTE . . .

In past years, the CLIMBER has been presented to the school by the senior class; this year the presentation is to the Class of 1956. Each teacher and each underclassman wish the best for this class. It is only fitting, then, that the CLIMBER be presented to the class as a memento of the days and hours that passed too quickly.

The members of this class were born on the dark eve of World War II as Hitler invaded Poland. Childhood play was mixed with news of Tunisia, Salerno and the Solomons. Adolescence heard the rumbling echoes from Seoul. As maturity beckons its spiny hand, a peace exists—with strings attached.

God willing, the Class of 1956 will not accept the abnormal as normal. May these students live to know a true peace. Today's generation cannot give it to them; it is too late. May they give it to themselves.

With this affirmation of faith in youth, this CLIMBER is proudly presented to the Class of 1956.

CONTENTS

DEDICATION
EDITORIAL
ADMINISTRATION
FACULTY
CLASSES
ORGANIZATIONS
SPORTS
ACTIVITIES
SENIORS
ADVERTISEMENTS

ENVOI

*These Pages Silent Record Keep
Of Schoolhood Days . . . Of
Friendship Deep;
Of Fun and Laughter, Mixed
With Tears,
The Brimming Cup of Youth's
Short Years.*



DEDICATION . . .

His idea became our reality. His footsteps—our path. We dedicate the 1956 CLIMBER to Mr. William Henry Moss who taught us the power of the English word, the depth of written thought, the nuance of the poetic phrase.

He is more than a teacher. More than a man. He is a way of life.



EDITORIAL

We, the Class of 1956, have dedicated this book to Henry Moss, and, for this reason, have chosen the Great Books as its theme. The Classics of the past are the core of his life; he has brought them to life for eleven graduating classes of this high school. And these books have shaped our lives, formed our ideals.

From Aristotle we learned of logic and reality; from Chaucer, the earthiness of everyday life; from Shakespeare, an understanding of motivation and character; from Tolstoi, the compassionate forgiveness of our fellow man; from Wordsworth, a love of nature; from Churchill, the courage that lies beneath human frailty.

Our school life, too, has become a personal classic . . . we have written it ourselves. If the words are hazy or clear, the chapters muddled or ordered—it has been of our own doing. We have written "finis" and cannot rewrite a sentence—no, not a single word.

But, with the feeling that comes with new ink and new paper, we begin a new chapter. May we write it well.

MARILYN GIFFORD

Editor-in-Chief



ADMINISTRATION



SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE

WEST BRIDGEWATER--RAYNHAM
SCHOOL DEPARTMENT
WEST BRIDGEWATER, MASSACHUSETTS

BERT L. MERRILL
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

December 12, 1955

To the Graduating Class of 1956:

May successful living and happiness be yours. Both are attained only when you apply yourselves diligently to your daily tasks and take advantage of opportunities as they arise. May good fortune be yours, always.

Bert L. Merrill

ANNETTE CHADWICK
Secretary



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



A Message to the Class of 1956

For years you have been preparing for your graduation and, now, it has arrived. You have made many sacrifices but remember that your parents have made greater ones. The time and effort which you spent in study and in other school activities will be rewarding only insofar as you extended yourselves. The experiences which you have encountered will be minor in comparison to those ahead. Rest assured that life is not easy. It is a constant battle against odds which, at times, will seem insurmountable.

In all your endeavors be men and women of principle. Let the knowledge and skills which you have gained in the home and school be the tools of your success. Set your courses with the Light of Truth to direct you, with Determination to reach your goals, and with the Faith to guide you. Remember, too, as Will Rogers once said, "It is great to be great, but it's greater to be human."

May I extend to you my best wishes for success and happiness in all your undertakings.

Sincerely,

PETER J. SPERANDIO

Principal



GLADYS KEITH

Secretary

EMPLOYEES



Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Wardwell, Mrs. Hambly, Mrs. Texieria, Mrs. Roulstone, Mrs. Norris, Mrs. Marzelli.



MRS. LILLIAN HEWITT, R.N.



Head Custodian: Mr. Hagglund, Mr. Turner, Mr. Ross, Mr. Earle.



THE BATTLE OF THE ROCKS

415

At the battle of the rocks, the first of the year, the English, under the command of the Duke of York, defeated the French, under the command of the Duke of Burgundy. The English were victorious in the battle, and the French were defeated.

The battle of the rocks was a decisive battle, and it was the last battle of the Hundred Years War. The English were victorious in the battle, and the French were defeated. The battle was fought on the rocks of the Channel, and it was a decisive battle. The English were victorious in the battle, and the French were defeated.

At the battle of the rocks, the English, under the command of the Duke of York, defeated the French, under the command of the Duke of Burgundy. The English were victorious in the battle, and the French were defeated. The battle was fought on the rocks of the Channel, and it was a decisive battle.

FACULTY



GUIDANCE DIRECTOR
Roger G. Viens



THOMAS ADAMS
Practical Arts



URBINO BARRIERA
Science, Coach



VICTOR BISSONNETTE
Science, Assistant Coach



EVELYN BROADBENT
English, Social Studies



LAWRENCE CORNELL
Mathematics



HELEN GALT
English, Social Studies



FLOYD FOLSOM
Industrial Arts
Driving



LEO GLEASON
General Science
Coach



GEORGE GOLDING
Physical Education



PHYLLIS JORDAN
Physical Education



MARIETTA KENT
Mathematics



MIRIAM KOCHAKIAN
English



JOAO LAGE
Science



LEO MONTEBELLO
Social Studies



LUICE MONCEY
English



WM. HENRY MOSS
English, Librarian



OLIVIA PEARSON
English



JANICE RYLANDER
Languages



ELAINE RAUSCH
Commercial



EVELYN VIENS
Household Arts



BERTHA WHEELER
Commercial



ERIC SAHLBERG
Social Studies



MARJORIE HAYWARD
Music Supervisor



WILLIAM RATHBUN
Art Supervisor



Les Misérables

Victor Hugo

Translated by
Henry Lee



New York
Dodge, Heath and Company
Publishers



UNDERCLASSMEN

Seated: Miss Kochakian, Patricia Brown, Vice President; Forrest Broman, President; Joanne Howe, Secretary. Standing: Mr. Gleason, Edward Sinkevich, Treasurer; Mr. Bissonnette.



CLASS OF

Third row: Ernest Fongeallaz, Ralph Morse, David Marr, Ralph Harris, Richard Child, James Wolfsberg, John Large; Louis Lima, William Soell, Bernard Bailey. Second row: Priscilla Warne, Gloria Harron, Adeline McGrath, Roberta Gummow, Anthony Harding, Joseph Braga, Paula Grundberg, Herbert Woodward, Betty Grippen, Betsy Frankhouser, Edna Eaton, Katharine Howard. First row: Judith Ames, Priscilla Young, Judith Andrews, Anna Ross, Cornelia Craddock, Mary Bordeaux, Elaine Morse, Barbara Drake, Eleanor Canzano, Elaine Bisemore.





Third row: Robert Benson, Bruce MacFadden, Nelson Sherman, John Carlson, William Burnap, Earle Caswell, Forrest Broman, Lawrence Wardwell, Clyde Melendy, Paul Ohman, Edward Sinkevich, Francis Poole. Second row: David Borges, Dorothy Lyons, Elsie MacLean, Richard Newell, Barbara Riddell, Barbara Gummow, Susan Holmgren, Carol Soderholm, Fred Leach, Joseph Cochran. First row: Kathryn Richard, Jeanette Pagani, Patricia Brown, Joanne Howe, Kathryn Coffey, Joan Perkins, Brenda Giovannini, Joyce Kohl, Joan Salvador, Gloria Pratt.



'57



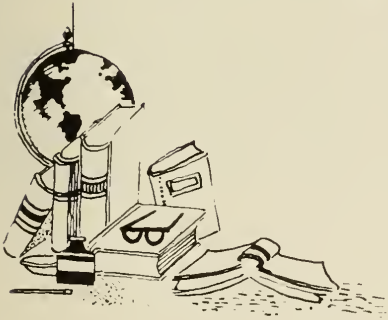
Third row: Henry Bradford, Robert MacDonald, Thomas O'Toole, Robert Linehan, David Burrill, Donald Seablom, Edward Benson, George Willis. Second row: Judith Rudine, Donald Seager, Roland Ashley, Patricia Mitchell, Dorna Edson, Shirley Ely, Sheila Styles, Jane Foye, Carolyn Demers. First row: Mary Skelton, Carolyn Raleigh, Ronald Snell, Herbert Robbins, Janet Howard, Virginia North, Arlene Chaves, Edward Moses, Rose Lewis. Shirley Perry.



CLASS
OF

Seated: Bradford Nickerson, Treasurer;
Mrs. Kent, Jane Foye, President; Mar-
garet Sweeney, Secretary. Standing: Gregg
Anglim, Vice President; Mr. Montebello.

'58



Third row: Fred Reed, David Cabral, Stephen Churchill, Russell Johnson, Ronald Enshei
Roy Jackson, William Rickert. Second row: Judith Gour, Allen DeHay, James Ames,
Russell Coelho, Theodore MacHardy, John Bettencourt, Gregg Anglim, Daniel Greene
Donna Williams. First row: Mary DiGiantamasso, Linda Sampson, Bradford Nickerson
Bruce Peterson, Edna Gingras, Janice Taylor, Richard Baker, Paula-Anne Bumpus, Gail
Perry, Margaret Sweeney.



CLASS OF



Third row: David Grippen, Gail Ensher, Carl Anderson, Edward DeMolles, David Erbeck, Richard Alger, Barbara Kamp, John Crowley, Theodore Perry, David Brazil. Second row: Joyce Chaves, Joan Boyd, Paul Carlson, Ruth Staples, Audrey Forrester, Sherrol Snell, Richard Barnes, William Turner, Michael Smith, Carol Howe, Edna Howard, Shirley Silveria, Elizabeth Hall. First row: Leslie Leach, Rosalie Moore, Betty Finch, Margaret Short, Jane Trillo, Catherine Slapik, Howard Anderson, Virginia Tibbetts, George Bassett, Richard Anderson.





Third row: Raymond Veader, Herbert Chase, Edward Asack, Richard Fox, Douglas Moore, Allen Poole, James Ross, Michael Harding, Mark Hollien, Richard Swan. Second row: Linda Haynes, Norma Warne, Elizabeth Griffin, Isabelle North, Doris Broman, Arthur Clark, Richard Chisholm, Ronald Newman, Frank LaBrache, Joyce Parenteau, Betty Benson, Sheila Grant. First row: Frances Skelton, Ellen Howard, Deborah Manchester, Bruce Veronesi, Susan Nickerson, Irene Freeman, Joy Fidler, Rosemary Perry, Annette Braga, Donna Smith.



'59



*West Bridgewater Public Library
80 Howard Street
West Bridgewater, Ma 02379*

Seated: Joy Fidler, Vice President; Doris Broman, Secretary. Standing: Mr. Lage, William Turner, Treasurer; Mr. Sahlberg, Sherrol Snell, President; Mr. Adams.



CLASS OF

Third row: Robert Slater, John Deane, John Gingras, Duncan Sprague, Margaret Orr, Clive Ensher, Diane Demers, Joanne Semeter, David Warde, Nancy Seabloom, John Foye, Maureen Crosby. Second row: Charles Pagani, Jeffrey VanDyke, Shelia Curley, Carolyn Mullins, Paul Kehoe, Ronald Ashley, Anne Young, Wayne Bishop, Mitchell Gaucher, Carolyn Lyons, Marjorie Caswell, George Tinkham, Catherine Marble, Carole Seabloom, Ellen Hartshorn. First row: Billy Howard, James Newell, Donald Metcalf, Marie Steptoe, James Ellis, Carolyn Keith, Sally Ohlson, Lois Penpraese, Laurel Nelson, Richard Seager.





Third row: Russell Baker, Rollin Bolio, Donald Poole, Pauline Getchell, Carol Cyr, Neale Crosby, Susan Cobbett, Howard Tinkham, Sheila Sinkevich, Doreen Carlson, David Forrester, Bruce Soderholm, Linda Okerstrom. Second row: Ronald Metcalf, Ann Swanson, Barbara Anderson, Barbara MacFadden, Beatrice Badger, Linda Nickerson, William Doane, Gordon Johnson, Marianne McGrath, Karen Swartz, Anne Kundzicz, Arthur Daley, Theresa Stulpin, William Vinton, John Dufault. First row: Raymond Peterson, William Brown, Lorraine Smith, Patricia McGunnigle, Gail Alfieri, Paul Uravich, Gail Pettengill, Martha Large, Fred DeHay, Carol Gaffney.

'60



Seated: Miss Pearson, Mrs. Wheeler. Standing: Barbara Anderson, Treasurer; Ann Swanson, President; David Warde, Vice President; Mrs. Viens, Donald Metcalf, Secretary.





Third row: Wayne Horton, Judith Hambly, Peter Cogswell, Martha Sharp, Janet Guarino, Quintina Harris, Gregory Eaton, Ronald Broman, Marianne Holmgren, Andrea Giovannini, Alice Martin, William Hirst, Sharon McElroy, Leslie Warren. Second row: Laurinda Cabral, Elaine Fischer, Sandra Nelson, Richard Watson, Winston Churchill, Beverly MacFadden, Lawrence Douglas, Dorothea O'Brien, Judith Staples, David Wardwell, Beth Fenstermaker, Leslie Boynton, Ann Burba, Linda Soderholm, Pamela Golder, John Hollien, Kenneth Turner, Nancy Newman, Susan Brodrick. First row: Thornton Morse, Anthony Veader, Donna Smith, George Austin, Robert Copeland, Sherrol Teixeira, Gillette Alvin, Bonnie Haynes, Thomas Deane, Susan Schaller, Robert Perry, Paul Noonan.



CLASS
OF

Seated: Mrs. Galt, Richard Kline, President;
Jon Churchill, Vice President; Christine
Buker, Treasurer; Wayne Finch, Secretary.
Standing: Mr. Cornell, Mr. Rathbun, Miss
Boynton.



'61



Third row: Richard Crowley, Dianne Edson, Charlotte Estabrooks, Timothy Bordeaux, Judith Olson, Anne LaPerle, Rona Backlund, Arvilla Harris, Albert Lucini, James Sherlaw, Gail Howard, Constance Fratangelo, Carol Bourne, Jon Churchill, Jane Souza, Peter Morrison. Second row: Patricia Caswell, Jacqueline Phelan, Jeanne Gallagher, Richard Bettencourt, Sandra Grippen, Thomas Stuart, Carol Greene, Ronald Alger, Roberta Ginn, Leo Gasse, Warren Packard, Arlene Lima, Mary Bartkus, William Ray, Richard Williams, Cheryl Hurcombe, Margaret LaBrache. First row: Richard Kline, William Skelton, Christine Buker, Nancy St. Onge, Sylvia LaPerle, Janice Wright, Brad Warne, Linda Boyd, Charles Hill, Wayne Finch, Andrea Ticchi, Donald DeHay.



HONOR ROLL

SENIORS

Charlotte Anderson
Donald Child
Marilyn Gifford
Robert Guarino
Janet Lendh
Peter Reed
Barbara Reynolds
James Reynolds
Judith Nickerson
Margaret Phillips
Judith Pierce
Edward Noonan

SOPHOMORES

David Cabral
Robert McDonald
Donald Seager

GRADE 8

Doreen Carlson
Marianne McGrath
Nancy Seablom
Sheila Sinkevich
Theresa Stulpin
Ann Swanson

HIGH HONORS

Judith Nelson
Gail Ensher
Barbara Anderson

JUNIORS

Forrest Broman
Paula Grundberg
Priscilla Young
Barbara Drake
Katherine Howard

Joyce Kohl
David Marr
Paul Ohman

FRESHMEN

Carl Anderson
Herbert Chase
Joy Fidler
Catherine Slapik
Arthur Clark

GRADE 7

Linda Boyd
Susan Broderick
Christine Buker
Ann Burba
Patricia Caswell
Peter Cogswell
Diane Edson
Charlotte Estabrooks
Beth Fenstermaker
Carolyn Fischer
Constance Gratangelo
Roberta Ginn
Carol Greene
Sandra Grippen
Arvilla Harris
Quintina Harris
Richard Kline
Sandra Nelson
James Sherlaw
Thomas Stewart
Marianne Holmgren
Wayne Horton
David Ward
Richard Crowley
Ronald Broman



ORGANIZATIONS

THE "CLIMBER" STAFF



MARILYN GIFFORD
Editor-in-Chief



MARGARET PHILLIPS
Classes



JUDITH NICKERSON
Sports



EDWARD NOONAN
Sports



CAROL RIDDELL
Administration



CHARLOTTE ANDERSON
Recording Secretary



JUDITH PIERCE
Organizations



PRISCILLA YOUNG
Junior Editor



MARY JANE DALEY
Activities



MISS LUICE MONCEY
Advisor



BUSINESS STAFF: Seated, left to right: Jean Badger, Robert Guarino, Lorena Douglas, Assistant Business Manager; Jane Mather, Nanci Greene, Barbara Reynolds, Norman Lundin, Esther Baker. Standing, left to right: William Ledin, Leon Semeter, Business Manager; Joan Jordan, Philip Ohman.



ART STAFF—Marshall Broman, Julia Bassett, David Alden, David Raleigh.

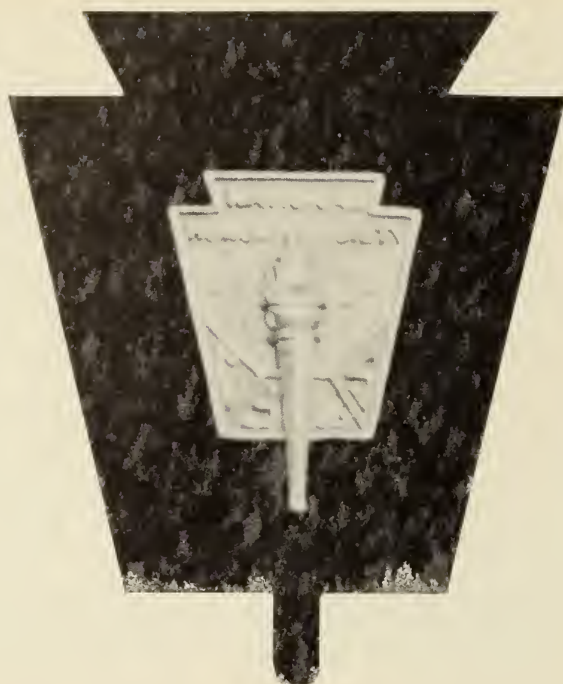
Student Photographer, GEORGE KINNEY



TYPING STAFF—Top row: Maxine Seyfert, Janet Lendh, Barbara Reynolds. Middle row: Jane Mather, Judy Nelson. Bottom: Joan Hager.



HONOR



SOCIETY

Front row, left to right: J. Pierce, B. Reynolds, J. Lendh, J. Nelson, M. Gifford, J. Badger, C. Anderson. Second row: P. Reed, J. Kohl, P. Grundberg, J. Peterson, L. Douglas, K. Coffey, P. Young, D. Alden, Advisor, Mr. Montebello. Third row: R. Guarino, R. Harris, P. Ohman, J. Reynolds, L. Semeter, F. Broman, E. Noonan, D. Marr, W. Ledin.





Left to right: Peter Reed, President; Forrest Broman, Vice President; Janet Lendh, Treasurer; Donald Seager, Secretary.



First row: Robert Guarino, Donald Seager, Janet Lendh, Peter Reed, Forrest Broman, Kathryn Coffey, Mr. Roger Viens, Advisor. Standing: Ann Swanson, Judith Gour, Joyce Parenteau, Joseph Braga, Jane Foye, Carl Anderson, Sherrol Snell, Janet Guarino, Carolyn Mullins, Richard Kline.

STUDENT COUNCIL

"Duty, not glory—Service, not a throne . . ."
—CLOUGH

WEST



WIND



Barbara Reynolds, Editor-in-Chief; Miss Miriam Kochakian, Advisor; Lorena Douglas, Assistant Editor.

"What is read twice is commonly better remembered than what is transcribed."

—JOHNSON



REPORTERS—Seated, left to right: P. Tsika, N. Greene, J. Badger, D. Lyons, P. Brown, J. Salvador, B. Drake, L. Sampson, B. Skelton. Standing: J. Pierce, J. Andrews, G. Harron, M. Phillips, M. J. Daley, C. Soderholm, J. Taylor, R. MacDonald, J. Cochran.



Left to right: Jane Mather, Business Manager; Leon Semeter, Production Manager; Joan Hager, Business Circulation Manager.



PRODUCTION STAFF

Left to right: Henry Bradford, Virginia North, Donpa Williams, Margaret Sweeney, Shirley Perry, Richard Barnes.

MATH CLUB



First row, left to right: G. Pratt, B. Riddell, R. Newell, A. Harding, W. Wardwell, J. Wolfesberg, D. Marr, S. Holmgren, B. Drake, Mr. Cornell, Advisor. Second row: P. Young, J. Andrews, J. Kohl, E. Bisemore, B. Giovannini, R. MacDonald.

SCIENCE CLUB



Left to right: B. Drake, G. Pratt, B. Riddell, J. Andrews, N. Lundin, D. Marr, Mr. Lage, Advisor; P. Young, J. Kohl, K. Howard, E. Bisemore, S. Young.

AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS CLUB



Henry Bradford, Russell Coelho.

Front row: L. Nickerson, J. Taylor, H. Bradford, R. Snell, B. Veronesi, W. Brown. Second row: R. Coelho, J. Ross, D. Seager, J. Cochran, R. MacDonald, Advisor, Mr. Victor Bissonnette.





First row: A. Veader, G. Austin, R. Copeland, D. Hill, B. Warne, M. Large, P. Caswell, F. Skelton, S. LaPerle, R. Kline, L. Samson. Second row: K. Turner, R. Metcalf, L. Douglas, L. Haynes, A. Clark, S. Nickerson, D. Smith, M. Caswell, M. Di Giantamasso. Third row: L. Nickerson, I. North, K. Howard, C. Demers, D. Demers, H. Woodward, B. Kemp, R. Veader, D. Seager. Fourth row: F. Reed, E. Noonan, D. Marr, R. Linehan, P. Ohman, D. Alden, P. Reed, D. Cabral

THE BAND

First row: R. Perry, M. Skelton, V. Tibbetts, P. Brown. Second row: C. Howe, V. North, P. Grundberg, B. Gummow, D. Lyons, S. Snell, J. Taylor.

M
A
J
O
R
E
T
T
E
S







Back row: P. Reed, F. Broman, A. Clark, R. Linehan, R. Kline, F. Reed. Middle row: M. Caswell, D. DeMers, K. Howard, M. Large, W. Turner, S. Snell. First row: D. Seager, D. Cabral, M. Short, C. Buker, S. Perry, L. Sampson, M. DiGiontamasso, S. Holgren.

THE ORCHESTRA



MRS. MARJORIE HAYWARD, *Instructor*





First row, left to right: M. DiGiantamasso, I. Freeman, C. Slapik, R. Staples, J. Taylor, C. Howe, J. Gour, P. Young, M. Sweeney, J. Foye, I. North, S. Perry, P. Burke, P. Brown, F. Skelton. Second row: B. Andrews, J. Howe, D. Lyons, M. Bordeaux, D. Broman, C. Raleigh, J. Kohl, G. Pratt, J. Parrenteau, J. Andrews, K. Richards, C. Demers, V. North, C. Coffey. Third row: W. Turner, R. Benson, D. Seager, R. Coelho, F. Reed, S. Holmgren, P. Reed, R. Fox, G. Anglim, F. Poole, F. Leach, F. LaBrache. Fourth row: E. Caswell, P. Ohman, R. Johnson, F. Broman, J. Wolfsberg, L. Wardwell, D. Alden, R. Alger, D. Cabral.

THE CHOIR

JESUS IS MY JOY, MY ALL

*Jesus is my joy, my All,
 He for me His life hath given;
 I am His, I hear His call;
 He hath writ my name in heaven.
 Earthly treasures pass away;
 Jesus I will love for aye, will love for aye.*

*In my Jesus I am blest,
 He to pleasant pastures leads me.
 Stills my soul and gives it rest,
 And with heav'nly manna feeds me.
 Earthly things must fade and fall;
 Jesus is my Life, my All, my Life, my All.*



First row, left to right: Eleanor Canzano; Adeline McGrath. Second row, left to right: Anna Ross, Bernice Andrew, Mary Bordeaux, Richard Child. Third row: Judith Nickerson, Elaine Morse, Joan Salvador, Bruce McFadden. Fourth row: Kathryn Coffey, Patricia Brown, Dorothy Lyons, Priscilla Warne. Fifth row: David Marr, Elaine Bisemore, Gloria Harron, Betsy Frankhouser. Standing: Mr. Floyd Folsom, Instructor.

DRIVER EDUCATION



Few things are impossible to diligence and skill."

—JOHNSON

Mr. Folsom and
Edith Bailey





The Rivals

W. J. L. L.

S. C. L.

Champion of the

Champion of the

H. J. L. L. L.

by W. J. L. L. L.

W. J. L. L. L.

A letter in Bath...



ATHLETICS



MR. BARREIRA
Head Coach



MR. BISSONETTE
Assistant Coach

FOOTBALL

"Who dares greatly, Does greatly."

—BROWN



Front row, left to right: P. Tsika, R. Childs, E. Sinkevitch, G. Perry, T. Roulstone, Co-captain, P. Reed, Co-captain; J. Mullins, W. Allen, W. Wardwell, R. Harris, P. Ohman. Back row: Mr. Bissonette, R. Newman, R. Barnes, G. Anglin, S. Churchill, E. Casewell, R. Gorman, R. Jackson, S. Young, T. Howard, J. Ross, R. Benson, R. Ashley, G. Bassett, Mr. Barreira.



"JIMMY" MULLINS
Captain



"PETE" REED
Captain



"WILLIE" ALLEN



RAYMOND GORMAN

G. ANGLIM, R. JACKSON



"EDDIE" SINKEVITCH



"STEVE" CHURCHILL



GEORGE PERRY



"EDDIE" SINKEVITCH



"TOM" HOWARD



"BILLY" WARDWELL



"TOM" ROULSTONE



"STEVE" YOUNG



EARL CASWELL



"DICKIE" CHILDS



ROLAND ASHLEY



"GREG" ANGLIN



FOOTBALL CHEERLEADERS



Left to right: Joan Perkins, Joanne Howe, Patricia Warne, Edith Bailey, Judy Nelson, Captain; Janet Lendh, Judie Nickerson, Eleanor Canzano.

SUBSTITUTE CHEERLEADERS

PATTY
McGUNNIGLE

FRANNIE
SKELTON

JANE FOYE

BARBARA KEMP

JUDY GOUR

VIRGINIA NORTH



"None but the brave deserve the fair."

—DRYDEN



Back row, left to right: Assistant Coach, Mr. Bissonnette; Manager, R. Snell; J. Mullins, J. Reynolds, G. Perry, F. Broman, J. Wolfsberg, W. Allen, R. Linehan, S. Churchill, Manager, T. Roulstone; Head Coach, Mr. Barreira. Front row: G. Anglin, A. Harding, E. Noonan, E. Sinkevitch.



Back row, left to right: R. Snell, Manager; D. Scablom, D. Marr, P. Ohman, R. Jackson, L. Wardwell, R. Johnson, R. Harris, Coach Bissonnette. Second row: P. Tsika, E. Moses, K. Ross, R. Ashley, B. Nickerson. First row: A. Harding, S. Churchill, R. Linehan, G. Anglin.

SCHEDULE*



MR. BARRIERA
Head Coach

Westies.....	73	Cohasset	43
Westies.....	68	Silver Lake	76
Westies.....	72	Alumni	39
Westies.....	65	Avon	68
Westies.....	67	Holbrook	60
Westies.....	67	Bridgewater	70
Westies.....	65	Plainville	51
Westies.....	97	Norton	41
Westies.....	81	Wrentham	47
Westies.....	68	E. Bridgewater	90
Westies.....	93	Norton	31
Westies.....	77	Wrentham	40
Westies.....	81	Avon	93
Westies.....	93	Plainville	73
Westies.....	65	Bridgewater	79
Westies.....	61	Holbrook	55

*Incomplete

"WILL" ALLEN



MR. BISSONNETTE
Assistant Coach

ED NOONAN
JIM REYNOLDS

JIM MULLINS



ED
SINKEVICH

GEORGE PERRY
JIM WOLFSBERG

FORRY BROMAN



JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL



First row, left to right: R. Bolio, W. Doane, W. Skelton, K. Turner, R. Broman, John Churchhill, B. Warne, T. Bordeaux, P. Cogswell, R. Perry, G. Austin. Second row: C. Anderson, Wayne Bishop, W. Brown, B. Soderholm, W. Howard, D. Forrester, D. Warde, J. Gingras, A. MacLeod. Last row: G. Basset, P. Grippen, H. Chase, R. Swan, M. Harding, R. Barnes, T. Perry, J. Ross.

CHEERLEADERS



EDITH BAILEY



JANET LENDH



CAPTAIN JUDY NELSON



JOANNE HOWE



PRISCILLA WARME



JUDY NICKERSON



ELEANOR CANZANO



JOAN PERKINS

BASEBALL



Back row: Mr. Gleason, Coach; Fred Reed, Robert Sullivan, Bernard Bailey, Lawrence Wardwell, Robert Linehan, Roy Jackson, Gregg Anglim, Norman Tibbetts, Manager. Middle row: Stephen Young, Stephen Churchill, Stuart Keith, Herbert Kline, Co-Captain; David Kline, Co-Captain; Fred Francesco, Earle Caswell, Peter Reed. First row: George Perry, William Allen, Lee Broman, Anthony Harding.

BOYS' SCHEDULE

Westies	15	Wrentham	4
Westies	0	Bridgewater	7
Westies	0	Avon	1
Westies	1	Bridgewater	8
Westies	8	Holbrook	4
Westies	4	Plainville	5
Westies	5	Norton	3
Westies	6	Norton	3
Westies	15	Plainville	14
Westies	6	E. Bridgewater	5
Westies	0	Avon	8
Westies	7	Wrentham	4
Westies	0	Holbrook	3
Westies	1	E. Bridgewater	2

GIRLS'

CAROL RIDDELL



"JUDI" PIERCE



JEAN BADGER



BETTY GRIPPEN



JOANNE HOWE



JANET LENDH
Co-Captain



EDITH BAILEY
Co-Captain

CAROL SODERHOLM



ROBERTA GUMMOW



BARBARA GUMMOW



JANET HOWARD



MISS JORDAN
Coach



"KATHY" COFFEY

BASKETBALL



THE JUNIOR VARSITY

Left to right: J. Fidler, S. Snell, C. Demers, J. Rudine, P. Grundberg, B. Drake, D. Broman, B. Skelton, M. Sweeney.



MANAGERS

Judy Nelson and Margaret Phillips



ACTION!!!



SOFTBALL



Back row: Barbara Drake, Mary Bordeaux, Joyce Ensher, Esther Baker, Barbara Gummow, Betty Grippen, Joanne Howe, Jean Badger, Priscilla Young. Middle row: Miss Jordan, Coach; Gloria Pratt, Carol Soderholm, Joan Perkins, Roberta Gummow, Barbara Riddell, Paula Grundberg, Susan Holmgren, Brenda Giovannini, Katherine Richards, Katherine Coffey. First row: Judy Andrews, Judy Nelson, Jane Mather, Judi Pierce, Co-Captain; Judie Nickerson, Co-Captain; Barbara Reynolds, Janet Lendh, Edith Bailey.

GIRLS' SCHEDULE

Westies	22	Easties	21
Westies	48	Easties	8
Westies	17	Bridgewater	16
Westies	14	Norton	21
Westies	21	Norton	22







ACTIVITIES



MOONLIGHT



JUNIOR PROM





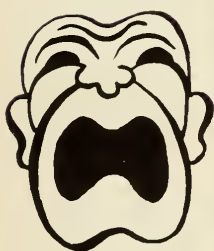
AND ROSES



CLASS OF 1956



CLASS



WEST



OF '56



CAPADES





MISS BLUE EYES





SENIOR CLASS PLAY 1955



SENIOR



FRIENDLIEST

Stephen Young Janet Lendh

MOST POPULAR

James Mullins Judy Nelson



WITTIEST

Margaret Phillips Thomas Roulstone



SUPERLATIVES

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

Edward Noonan Marilyn Gifford



MOST COOPERATIVE

David Alden Jean Badger



BEST LOOKING

Nancy Greene Robert Guarino



MOST ATHLETIC

Edith Bailey William Allen

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE



Judy Peterson, Catherine Slapik, Miss Rylander, Committee Chairwoman; Fred Reed.



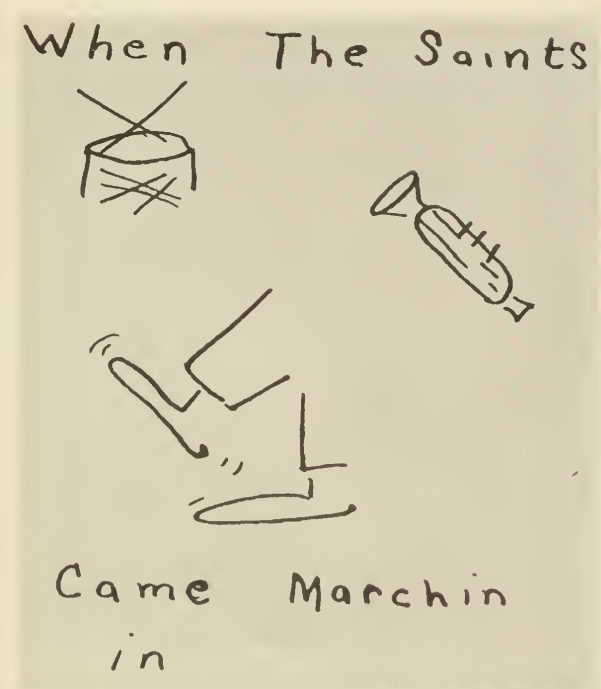
Mrs. Hayward, Mrs. Kent, Mrs. Viens. Sitting: Miss Moncey and Miss Kochakian.



"Edward Noonan: "... this bulwark of democracy." Veterans' Day Assembly, November 10, 1955.



Thomas Roulstone: "Is this a nose?" Speech Assembly, May 11, 1956.



Teachers' Talent Show, October 28, 1955.



Bernice Andrews: "... this country has been good to me. Thank you all." Lithuanian Assembly, December 2, 1955.

GREAT EXPECTATIONS

CHAPTER I

My father's name was Mr. Pumblechook, and my mother's name was Mrs. Pumblechook. I was born on the 1st of January, 1840, at the village of Wrotham, in the county of Kent. My father was a small, stout, middle-aged man, with a large nose and a small mouth. My mother was a small, stout, middle-aged woman, with a large nose and a small mouth. I was the only child of my father and mother.

MY FATHER'S NAME

MY MOTHER'S NAME

... which were all
grave, and were sacred to
brothers of mine—who gave
exceedingly early in that
indebted for a belief religion
had all been born on the
their trousers-pockets, and had
in this state of existence.

1

GRADUATES



"It's gotta be a good one!"

DAVID ALDEN

252 Spring Street

Desperately tried to collect money for class dues . . . is a comedian . . . the "bird-caller" in U. S. History . . . had a deep admiration for "Pershing at the Front" . . . will always be remembered for his impromptu speeches . . . despises jay-walkers . . . happy fellow . . .

*"For that fine madness still he did retain
Which rightly should possess a poet's
brain."*

—Drayton

Activities: Student Council 1; National Honor Society 2, 3, 4; Yearbook Art Staff; Dance Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Manager 3; Boys' State Alternate; Assemblies 2, 3, 4; Class Plays 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Class Treasurer 3, 4; Band 4; Properties Committee Chairman 4.



WILLIAM ALLEN

65 Plain Street

"Willie" . . . outstanding athlete . . . played all three sports . . . the disarming smile and the bouncing walk . . . it's steak and potatoes with Will . . . pushed his car more than he drove it . . . Captain Queeg and Frost didn't "set" too well with Will.

"For courage mounteth with occasion"

—Shakespeare

Activities: Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain; Junior Plays (Stage Crew) 1, 2, 3; Senior Plays 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Decoration 1, 2, 3; Senior Prom 3; Dance Committee 1, 2, 3, 4.



CHARLOTTE ANDERSON

34 South Elm Street

Quiet but efficient . . . always willing to help . . . studious . . . has a long list of "A's" . . . recording secretary for the "Climber" . . . always polite . . . no matter what she does, she is always calm . . . an exceptional mind.

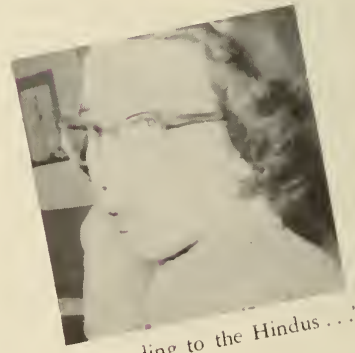
*"I, thus neglecting worldly ends, all dedicated to closeness and the bettering of
my mind."*

—Shakespeare

Activities: National Honor Society 2, 3, 4; Assemblies 3, 4; Library 3, 4; Climber Staff 4.



"Wanna look at my sores?"



"According to the Hindus . . ."



"What you mean by that?"



"She really said that?"



BERNICE ANDREWS
473 Spring Street

Our new classmate from Lithuania . . . loves ice-cream . . . has an engaging personality . . . makes friends easily because of her good nature . . . loves music and has an exciting voice . . . delighted us with her charming accent . . . our slang baffles her . . . "I don't understand. You can't love anything; you must like it." . . . We thank our little "ambassador" for cementing relations . . . She came half across the world to teach us to love our own country . . .

"If music be the food of love, play on..."

—Shakespeare

Activities: Assembly 4; Christmas Play 4.

JEAN BADGER
25 Belmont Street

"Rosebud" . . . a soft gentle voice . . . well-liked and good-natured . . . riotous summers at Brant Rock . . . fried clams . . . active basketball player . . . smiles broadly when there is no homework . . . punctual . . . goodness to the core.

"Honest labour wears a lovely face."

—Dekker

Activities: Dance Committee 1; Intramural Basketball 1; Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Softball 3, 4; Class Plays 3, 4; Cafeteria 3; Climber Business Staff 4; Honor Society 3, 4; West Wind Staff 3, 4; Field Hockey 1; PTA Program 1.

EDITH BAILEY
36 Vital Avenue

"Edie" . . . "Holy Toledo!" and "Holy Cow!" . . . "I pass," in Home Life class . . . maid in the Senior play and Carmen in the Westcapades . . . our 1955 delegate to Girls' State . . . always laughing . . . jitterbugging at dances . . . likes tea . . . broke chandelier while aping Liberace at Mary Jane's slumber party . . . pleasing personality . . . a happy influence . . .

"Merrily, merrily shall I live now

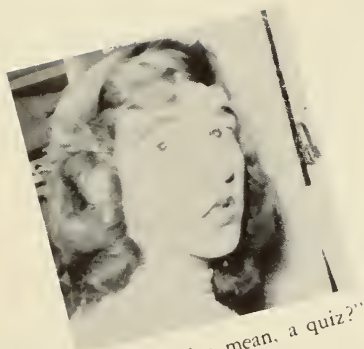
Under the blossom than hangs of the bough."

—Shakespeare

Activities: Class Treasurer 1; Decorating Committee 1; Ticket Committee 2; Class Plays 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain; Cheerleading 1, 2, 3, 4; Elect Girls' State 3; Cafeteria 3; PTA Program 1; Field Hockey 1.



"You think it's easy, huh?"



"Whaddya mean, a quiz?"

ESTHER BAKER
25 West Street

Willing to help . . . jitterbugging at the local hps . . . a rounded high school career . . . Westcapades pajamas parties, Oliver Ames . . . an example of propriety and restraint . . . that highway man came riding, riding, riding . . . considerate . . . sensitive to the feelings of others . . . a girl who gave . . .

"They are never alone that are accompanied with noble thoughts."

—Sidney

Activities: Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 2; Substitute Cheerleader 1; Dance Committee 2; Class Plays 3, 4; Climber Business Staff 4; Basketball 4; Booster Banquet 1; PTA Program 1; Cafeteria 3.



JULIA BASSETT
510 West Center Street

The Bohemian of the class . . . paint-brushes and pizza . . . her drawing in the display cases . . . the first to earn her driver's license . . . the throaty laugh . . . "Why?" . . . her frankness . . . loves to sew . . . ambassador of the motion picture art . . . won an art award in her Junior year.

"They that govern the most make the least noise."

—Selden

Activities: Class Play 3; Ticket Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Newspaper 1, 2, 3; Climber 1, 2, 3, 4; Banking 3.



LORRAINE BORDEAUX
220 Copeland Street

Quiet . . . talks to herself when she drives . . . a pleasing personality . . . BPM waitress . . . popular with everyone . . . loves to bowl . . . one of the seniors who lost an appendix . . . noted for her "bizarre" French translations . . . sang and danced in the "Westcapades."

"Promise is most given when the least is said."

—Chapman

Activities: Class Plays 3, 4; Assembly 4; Climber Business Staff 4.



"Oh, you're kidding."



"What's the 7th one?"



"It's the principle of the thing."



"I couldn't HELP it."



MARSHALL BROMAN

32 Sunset Avenue

"Lee" . . . careful dresser . . . excellent golfer . . . his posters were works of art . . . leaned toward the modernistic school of cartooning . . . a powerful personality . . . speaks without dropping a word . . . mature in attitude and cooperative in nature . . . the hallmark of gentility . . . *"He was ever promise-keeping."*

—Shakespeare

Activities: Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2; Prom Committees 2, 3, 4; West Wind 2, 3; Play Committees 2, 3, 4; Climber Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Reception Committees 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1; Decoration Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Ticket Committees 2, 3, 4; Plays 3, 4; Junior Class Ring Committee 3.

MALCOLM CARLSON

491 West Street

Running to school . . . "But I'm only ten seconds late!" . . . walks to the nearest gasoline station . . . the prodigal son returned . . . a photography fiend . . . (or is it photographing?) . . . "I left it *somewhere!*" . . . a cordial chap with an earthy philosophy of life.

"Though I am always in haste, I am never in a hurry."

—Wesley

DONALD CHILD

16 Prospect Street

"Donny" . . . the infectious grin by the lockers, at the desk, or over the cafeteria counter . . . magnanimous . . . "Hey, doll!" . . . vigorous sportsman . . . loves to eat—but kept all the teachers on their diets . . . "No whipped cream for you!" . . . never ignores the opportunity to help or please . . . the cheerful one.

"The greater man the greater courtesy."

—Tennyson

Activities: Baseball 1; Football 1; 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Vice President 2; Class Play 4; Audio Visual Aids Club 2, 3, 4; Class Play Board 1, 2, 3, 4; Cafeteria 4; National Student Council Convention 2, 3; "West Wind" Staff 3, 4.



"Don't you dare!"



"I can't talk any louder."

CAROLYN CHURCHILL

Market Street, Brockton

Sews an exquisite seam and cooks a fine meal . . . polite and unassuming . . . speaks softly . . . a beauty with a child-like grace . . . the red sweater . . . has her license . . . the aura of sweetness that belongs only to Carolyn . . . a true friend to everyone . . .

"Virtue is like a rich stone,—best plain set."

—Bacon

Activities: Usherette for Junior Prom 3; Climber Art Staff 3; Dance Committee 1; Ticket Committee 2, 3.



MEREDITH CLARK

398 Spring Street

"Meri" . . . a gifted artist . . . has an infectious laugh and steady flow of conversation . . . constantly joking . . . can always have a good time . . . was a quaint puppet in the "Westcapades" . . . loves lobster . . . worked at a local soda fountain . . . excellent swimmer . . . was always doing something for someone else.

"The hand that hath made you fair hath made you good."

—Shakespeare

Activities: Class Play 3; "Climber" Staff 3; Christmas Card Committee 3; Dance Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Decorating Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Ticket Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Ticket and Program Committee 3; Art Committee 2, 3, 4.



ROBERT COEHLO

44 Sinnott Street

Best singer in the class . . . a frequent volunteer . . . fun-fun-fun . . . "How many boxes have you sold?" . . . music is his hobby . . . suave as Reynolds in the class play . . . belonged to the "West Crests" . . . was thrilled with his newly acquired French vocabulary . . . smooth once tactful . . . the pacifist . . .

"None but himself can be his parallel."

—Theobald

Activities: Class Plays 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 4; Dance Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Assembly Programs 1, 2, 3; Prom Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Ways and Means Committee 4.



"Let's . . ."



"Que dire?"



"That's a great idea!"



"I'm not gonna worry."

WEST BEND PUBLIC LIBRARY



MARY JANE DALEY
271 South Main Street

"M. J." . . . pajama parties, pizzas, and prattle . . . assisted in the library . . . a loyal spectator at the games . . . "What a riot!" . . . fastidious in dress . . . one of the Waikikians . . . a lady in every sense of the word . . . night owl worker for the "Westwind" . . . determined and eager . . . loads of fun to be with . . .
*"For all that faire is, is by nature good;
That is a signe to know the gentle blood."*

—Spenser

Activities: Class Plays 3, 4; Prom Committee 3, Chairman; Editorial Climber Staff 4; Newspaper "The West Wind's" 3, 4; Dance Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Sport's Night 2; Field Hockey 1; Basketball Manager 3, 4, Assistant; Library 4; Office 4; Westcapades 3; Assembly 2, 3, 4; Golf Club 2; Intramural Basketball 1; Baccalaureate Committee 4, Chairman.

RICHARD DAVENPORT
145 Bryan Street

"Dav" . . . a disarming smile and a drooping lid . . . "Well-l-l I guess so" . . . a shuffling step . . . faces life without concern . . . "Alginon" . . . did he lose those fountain pens? . . . that green sweater . . . the fatalistic philosophy never allowed worry a chance . . . good company . . .

"Men of few words are the best men."

—Shakespeare

Activities: Basketball 1, 2; Class Plays 1, 2, 3, 4.

LORENA DOUGLAS
60 North Main Street

"Mac" . . . a girl with a purpose in life . . . the quiet scholar . . . has a weekly pizza . . . "Well, I'll be" . . . refuses to be ruffled . . . Oliver Ames fan . . . dignified and regal . . . tireless and efficient worker on the Business Staff of the Climber . . .

"We have some salt of our youth in us."

—Shakespeare

Activities: Field Hockey 1; Dance Committee 1, 2, 3; Prom Committee Chairman 3; School Newspaper 2; "West Wind" Assistant Editor 3, 4; Honor Society 2, 3, 4; Ring Committee 3; Assistant Business Manager of the Climber 4; Class Plays 3, 4; Assembly 3; Library 4; Climber Business 3.



"Think I should do it?"



"Caught you!"

RICHARD FOREST
301 West Center Street

He may be little, but he's full of fun . . . drives a yellow Studebaker . . . bundle boy at Elm Farm . . . forever smiling . . . appreciates his own wit . . . a good sport . . . made a hit as Donald Deming in the Senior play . . . that raucous laugh! . . .

"Nothing is impossible to a willing heart."
—Heywood

Activities: Class Play 4; Scenery 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Hand 2, 3; Prom Committee 3.



ARNOLD GALLAGHER
73 Prospect Street

"Arnie" . . . golden "locks" and deep blue eyes . . . an artist with a flair for design . . . loved to see how much mischief he could keep out of . . . pushing the ventilated limousine . . . tall and silent . . . the gory and the abnormal fascinated him . . . can be recognized by his sharp shirts . . . dramatics interested him . . .

*"I built my soul a lordly pleasure-house
Wherein at ease for aye to dwell."*

—Tennyson

Activities: West Wind 3; Football 1.



MARILYN GIFFORD
62 Plain Street

"Giff" . . . loves pizzas . . . a wonderful person . . . shaved a certain person in speech class . . . a poignant Lili in the Westcapades . . . has her own "bomber" . . . old maid in the Senior Class play . . . took National Scholarship tests . . . honor student . . . loves football . . . 3:15 a.m. war dance . . . a truly fine girl . . . a credit to the Class of 1956 . . .

*"She that was ever fair and never proud
Had tongue at will, and yet was never loud."*

—Shakespeare

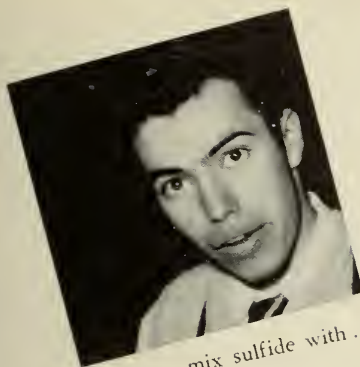
Activities: Intramural Basketball 1; Class Plays 3, 4; Student Council 3; Secretary of the Golf Club 1; Homeroom Banker 1; Assemblies 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Ticket Committee 3; National Honor Society 2, 3, 4; Dance Committee 2, 3, 4; Climber 3; Editor-in-Chief of the Climber 4; Student Council Convention 3; Field Hockey 1; Home Room Attendance 1.



"The WHOLE Preamble?"



"It's finished!"



"If you mix sulfide with . . ."



"He's wo-o-nderfull!"



RAYMOND GORMAN

23 North Main Street

"Spider" . . . quicksilver on the football field . . . the "dangerous" gangster in the Westcapades . . . his hobby is weight lifting . . . who else could make the treasurer's report sound like the latest comic strip? . . . "rug" . . . notorious for his contests with Bill . . . the glittering eye of humor . . . a man's man . . .
"I know a trick worth two of that."

—Shakespeare

Activities: Class Plays 1, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2; Class Treasurer 2; Class Secretary 3.

NANCY GREENE

120 Ash Street

"Nanci" . . . the captain of team two . . . a smile for everyone . . . expert on produce . . . "Oh, you know what I mean." . . . proves once again that West Bridgewater High School graduates ladies . . . obliging to all . . . an irresistible smile . . . tolerant of the errors of others.
"High-erected thoughts seated in the heart of courtesy."

—Sidney

Activities: Class Plays 3, 4; Climber Business Staff 3, 4; West Wind Staff 3, 4; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Usher 3; Prom Committee 3; Field Hockey 1; Library 3, 4; Office 3; Assembly 3; Concert Usher 2; Intramural Basketball 1.

ROBERT GUARINO

270 South Elm Street

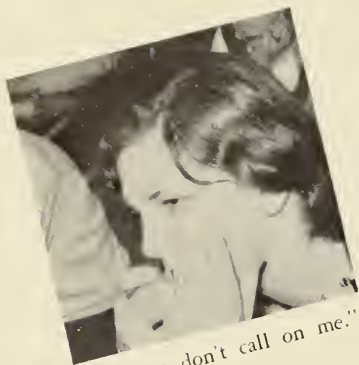
Loves horses . . . hates getting out of bed in the morning . . . excellent senior class president . . . can be seen driving around in a new car . . . his smart-looking clothes . . . fun to be with . . . handsome King of the Junior Prom . . . a gentleman at all times . . . a man of levity and logic.
"No legacy is so rich as honesty."

—Shakespeare

Activities: Class Vice President 2, 3; Class President 4; Westcapades 3; Dance Committee 2, 3; National Honor Society 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom King 3; Climber Business Staff 4; Play Committee 4; Honorary Chairman of All Committees 4; Student Council 4.



"If this class doesn't."



"Please don't call on me."



JOAN HAGER
589 East Street

Her Southern drawl . . . shared her birthday with Mary Jane . . . one of the Waikikians in the Westcapades . . . sweet personality . . . attractive model in the Sophomore fashion show . . . likes pizzas and spaghetti . . . often heard saying "You know" . . . "Oh, the homework" . . .

"There can no great smoke arise, but there must be some fire."

—Lyly

Activities: Dance Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; PTA Program 1; Assemblies 1, 2, 3; Chairman of Candy Committee 4; Intramural Basketball 1; Business Manager of West Wind 3, 4; West Wind Typist 3, 4.

THOMAS HOWARD
124 Turnpike Street

"Tom" . . . the booming voice . . . "Huh! I dunno" . . . great tackle on the team . . . never flustered . . . the shy manner . . . the deep comradeship he offered to all . . . a love of the Old West . . . and the tall tale . . . has a passion for walking in Speech . . . opinions on the rearmament of Japan . . .

"Custom hath made it in him a property of easiness."

—Shakespeare

Activities: Football 3, 4; Class Play 3.

JOAN JORDAN
96 Prospect Street

Wild rides on the milk wagon in the cafeteria . . . the shy smile . . . and wide-eyed look . . . avid ad hunter . . . enjoyable company . . . "white meat" on Turkey Day . . . "Hey, nonny, nonny, nonny" . . . a wonderful friend to all . . . the eye of honesty . . .

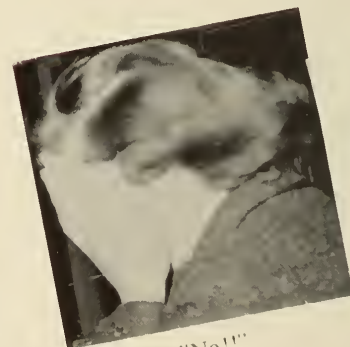
"By all that's good and glorious."

—Byron

Activities: Softball 1, 2; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Sub-Cheerleader 1; Westcapades 3; Business Staff of the Climber 4.



"I like it!"



"No!!"



"Can I?"



"Ug-g-h"



GEORGE KINNEY
509 North Elm Street

"Skippy" . . . eager and energetic . . . loves to hunt . . . the rebel yell that no one heard . . . graveyard antics . . . "I dug a beauty this morning—6 by 4" . . . always on the move . . . inquisitive . . . curiosity was limited to the oddities of life . . . "Why?" . . . "Ain'tcha gut any film, Mr. Crowley?"

"I was not born under a rhyming planet."
—Shakespeare

Activities: Golf Club 1; Prom Committee 2, 3; Stage Committee 3; Senior Prom 3; Climber Photographer 4.

WILLIAM LEDIN
591 North Elm Street

"Billy" . . . the scrutinous glance . . . the smile of confusion . . . the usher . . . can we ever forget his green car? . . . Rockland . . . "Yes" . . . "No" . . . "Yes" . . . sustains a belief in all that is right . . . has that "something" called good taste . . . admired Winston Churchill . . . an academic whiz . . .

"The better part of valour is discretion."
—Shakespeare

Activities: Baseball 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; National Honor Society 2, 3; Golf Club 1, 3; Operator's Club 1, 2; Junior Prom 3; Westcapades 3; Founder's Day Essay Contest 3; Climber Business Staff 4; "Miss Blue Eyes" Committee 4; Christmas Committee 3, 4; Assembly 2, 3.

JANET LENDH
51 Francis Avenue

Likes old records and sausages . . . blushes when she laughs . . . beautiful hair . . . "Well, I'll be." . . . rare sense of humor . . . noted for her loud laugh . . . plays the "Sack Waltz" on the piano wherever she goes . . . well-liked by everyone . . . co-captain of basketball . . . never misses having her name on the honor roll . . . the American girl . . . bright, friendly, and lovely . . .

"Age cannot wither her, nor custom stale her infinite variety."

—Shakespeare

Activities: Cheerleading 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, Co-Captain 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 2, 3, 4; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; PTA Program 1; Student Council 1, 2, Treasurer 4; Usher for Commencement Exercises 3; Class Plays 3, 4; Climber Staff 3, 4; "West Wind" Staff 2, 3; Memorial Day Assembly 2, 3; Office Work 2, 3, 4.



"Control yourself."



"It is so pasteurized."

CLINTON LEONARD

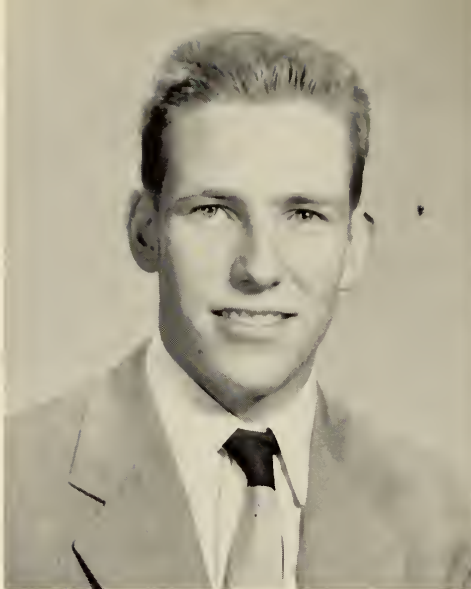
11 Willow Street

The scientist . . . an outstanding example of the young American farmer . . . his cows have won many prizes . . . drives a tractor expertly . . . "Oh Murder!" . . . president of the 4-H Club . . . clean-cut and wholesome . . . enjoys a good time . . . "Is anybody there?" . . . a fine, fine, lad . . .

"Enough's as good as a feast."

—Chapman

Activities: Assembly 2.



NORMAN LUNDIN

104 Prospect Street

"Frank" . . . blushes easily . . . an apprentice builder . . . makes friends easily . . . can be seen riding around town in a green beachwagon . . . drove to California and back . . . frantically tried to get birdbaths for the prom . . . that mixture of gentleness and manliness that makes a true man . . . a sense of fairness . . .

"The mirror of all courtesy."

—Shakespeare

Activities: Audio Visual Aids Club 1, 2, 3; Science Club 4; Dance Committee 1; Stage Manager 1, 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 1; Ticket Committee 3; Prom Committee 3; Climber Business Staff 4; Westcapades 3.



JANE MATHER

272 North Elm Street

"Janie" . . . shortest girl in the class . . . loves cheeseburgers . . . the blue eyes of "Miss Blue Eyes" . . . admirer of Marlon Brando . . . hostess of frequent pajama parties . . . pert and pretty as a Dresden doll . . . "I'll have twenty-five cents worth of gas, please." . . .

"The gentle minde by gentle deeds is knowne . . ."

—Spenser

Activities: Softball Manager 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Assembly 3, 4; PTA Program 1, 2; Class Play 3, 4; Dance Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1; Typing Staff of Climber 3, 4; Usherette 2, 3; Sub-Cheerleader 1, 2; Office 4.



"Get that thing out of here."



"Don't blame me."



"Well what do you expect?"



"Who ... me?"



JAMES MULLINS

7 Progressive Avenue

"Jimmy" ... a teen-age stereotype ... the walk, the crew cut, the freckles ... worked faithfully in the cafeteria for three years ... jocularly on class trips ... the only freshman to receive a letter ... "long" pep talks at rallies ... "I'd like to repeat what Pete just said" ... the gentleman in the red sweater ...

"For manners are not idle, but the fruit of loyal nature and of noble mind."

—TENNYSON

Football 1, 2, 3, 4 (Captain); Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3; Class Play 3, 4; Assembly 1, 3; Dance Committee 1, 2, 3; Cafeteria 1, 2, 3.

JUDITH NICKERSON

23 Vital Ave.

"Judie" ... beautiful queen of the prom ... one big dimple and two brown eyes ... won Homemaking Agricultural Award in her sophomore year ... grapenut ice cream ... Betty Bryce in Senior play ... studied diligently ... precise.

"A mother's pride, a father's joy."

—SCOTT

Cheerleading 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4 (Co-Captain); Senior Class Plays 3, 4; Decorating Committee 1, 2, 3; Cafeteria 2, 3; PTA Program 2; Prom Committee 3.

JUDITH NELSON

60 Prospect Street

"Jude" ... "What a riot!" ... a pickle fan ... cheered in the "Westcapades" ... tall and queenly ... charming personality ... has a flair for cutting her own hair ... was tackled at a football game ... can always find room for an extra dinner ... "I hate to see food go to waste!" ... is an "A" student ... the hallmark of a lady. *"They're only truly great who are truly good."*

—CHAPMAN

Cheerleading 1, 2, 3, Captain 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball Manager 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Usher 3; National Honor Society 2, 3, 4; Class Vice President 1, 4; Prom Committee 3; Editor-in-Chief of "Maroon and White" 2; "West Wind" Staff 3; Climber Staff 3, 4; Office 2, 3, 4; Memorial Day Assembly Committee 2, 3.



"If you ask me ..."



"I forgot to do it!"

EDWARD NOONAN

31 Crescent Street

"Banana" ... "Ain't no use" ... infectious grin ... he's tops ... instructor on drums ... basketball captain in his junior year ... likes gingerbread and whipped cream ... cheerleader in the Westcapades ... can be seen driving a blue Ford ... never is home on time ... one of the seniors chosen as a National Merit Scholarship contestants.

"A proper man, as one shall see in a summer's day."

—SHAKESPEARE

Class President 1, 2; Student Council 1, 2 (Vice President 3); Assembly 2, 4; Class Plays 2, 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; Tri-Town Essay Contest 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Climber Staff 4; Prom Committee 3; Dance Committee 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3 (Co-Captain), 4; Ring Committee 3; Golf Club 2.



PHILIP OHMAN

16 Commonwealth Avenue

"Flip" ... manager of the football team ... neat ... nice personality ... frank ... collection of socks to match his shirts ... the quiet remarks in chemistry ... witty ... characterized by a blond crew-cut and a merchant marine cap.

"To be honest as this world goes, is to be one man picked out of ten thousand."

—SHAKESPEARE

Dance Committee 3, 4; Bomber's Basketball 4; Football Manager 3, 4; Westcapades 3; Prom Committee; Climber Business Staff; Assembly Committee 2, 3.



GEORGE PERRY

108 Ash Street

"Pezzy" ... great punter on the football field ... outdid himself in the 1955 Junior-Sophomore basketball game ... one of the consumer problem boys ... spent more time pushing his car than driving it ... a boy with the big heart that grows with each succeeding year.

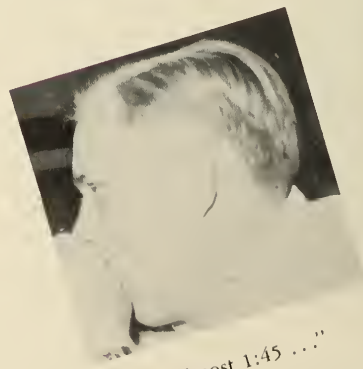
"My heart is true as steel."

—SHAKESPEARE

Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, (Co-Captain) 4; Junior Class Play 3; Senior Class 4; Ticket Committee 3; Westcapades 3.



"I want my lunch."



"Almost 1:45 ..."



"That's a rough one."



"Tell me more."



JUDITH PETERSON

23 Plain Street

The pixie of the class . . . into one thing and out of another . . . Halloween parties . . . has answers for questions that have not been answered by the greatest philosophers . . . "You want my lunch?" . . . bubbling with a personality spiced with ginger . . . a shining light to many teachers . . . excellent student.

*O, thou art fairer than the evening air
lad in the beauty of a thousand stars."*

—Marlowe

Activities: Assembly 3, 4; Assembly Board
; Honor Society 3, 4.

MARGARET PHILLIPS

402 West Centre Street

"Mag" . . . the facial expressions . . . published a libited edition of the "Sketch Book"—one copy . . . cutter of oranges for the girls' basketball team . . . a gift of wit . . . proved dangerous in the chemistry lab . . . has the distinct honor of being the only girl to receive a parking ticket in the school parking lot . . . a pleasure to know . . .

*"Moderation is the silken string running
through the pearl chain of all virtues."*

—Hall

Activities: Basketball Manager 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1; Class Plays 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; West Wind 4; Softball 1, 2; Assembly 4; Cafeteria 1, 2; Library 4; Literary Staff Climber 4; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Banking 2; PTA Program 1; Field Hockey 1; Office 3.

JUDITH PIERCE

387 North Elm Street

"Judi" . . . basketball player . . . has many friends . . . "Black Note" in the "Westcapades" . . . "What a riot" . . . especially loves Chaucer, Shakespeare, and Douglas . . . co-author of the "Sketch Book" . . . satirical sense of humor . . . finds joy in the "little things" of life. *"To be a well-favored man is the gift of fortune; but to write and read comes by nature!"*

—Shakespeare

Activities: Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Ring Committee 3, Chairman; Class Play 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Honor Society 3, 4; Dance Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Assemblies 4; Newspaper 3, 4; Climber 4; Library 2, 3.



"Well, I got here, didn't I?"



"I'm sorry."

JOANNE POOLE

25 Sinnott Street

Mistress of the controlled mannerism . . . lady-like in every way . . . "Ace" . . . loves chicken and chocolate cake . . . one of the Black Notes . . . an authority on candy . . . reknowned for her French translation . . . "Hold this is as—strike upward the blow!" . . . the suppressed laugh . . . so-o-o neat and efficient.

"The noblest mind the best contentment has."

—Spenser

Activities: Ring Committee 3; Class Play 3; Dance Committee 2; Usherette for Senior Reception 2; Office 3.



DAVID RALEIGH

76 South Elm Street

Loves pizza . . . has a noticeable drawl . . . sounds like Herb Shriner . . . quiet—most of the time! . . . pleasing personality . . . loves the water and everything connected with it . . . likes to tinker around cars . . . his pet peeve is Ford cars, but he has one . . . had a close shave in speech class . . . was a wonderful master of ceremonies in the "Westcapades" . . . *"Ay, every inch a king."*

—Shakespeare

Activities: Class Plays 3, 4; Art Staff Climber 4; Ticket Committee Junior Prom 3, Chairman.



PETER REED

145 Spring Street

An outstanding speaker and leader of . . . cushions . . . hates chickens . . . exuberant . . . "G-o-o-o-o-d Morning!" . . . bringing with enthusiasm for every class activity . . . his record collection that everyone used . . . good things to eat, fine music to hear, and good books to read—keep Peter a happy boy.

"Give me a spirit that on this life's rough seas Loves t'have his sails fill'd with the lusty wind."

—Chapman

Activities: Football 1, 2, 3, Co-Captain; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Plays 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary 1, 2; Class President; President of the Student Council 4; Boy State 3; National Honor Society 2, 3, 4; Second Place in Knights of Pythias Essay Contest 3; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Choir 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 4; Science Club 4; Prom Committee 4; Dance Committee 1, 2; Student Council 1, 2.



"Frightfully . . ."



"What do you mean, you don't want me to sing?"



"You can't fool me."



"WHAT pink tree?"



BARBARA REYNOLDS
351 North Elm Street

Flair for clothes . . . chocolate sodas . . . contributed much to the school with her tireless work as editor of the "Westwind" . . . her "funeral car" . . . likes to entertain in the rumpus room . . . is famous for her M&M's . . . an honor student . . . a softness of manner . . . the gracious answer . . .
. . . her pure and eloquent blood spoke on her cheeks . . .

—Donne

Activities: Editor of the "West Wind" 3, 4; Class Plays 3, 4; Business Staff of the Climber 4; PTA Program 1; Typing Staff of the Climber 3, 4; Ways and Means Committee 4; National Honor Society 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1; Dances Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Assemblies 2, 3; Softball, Assistant Manager 3, 4.

JAMES REYNOLDS
26 Plain Street

Unobtrusive fellow . . . his humor ripened in physics class . . . the Light Brigade died before it reached the valley . . . the dynamo of the basketball court . . . favorite food—food . . . the transmission held by elastic bands and paper clips . . . the crooked smile of "innocence" . . .

"He who has truth at his heart need never fear the want of persuasion on his tongue."

—Ruskin

Activities: Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 4; Ticket Committee Chairman 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; West Wind 1; Intramural Basketball 1.

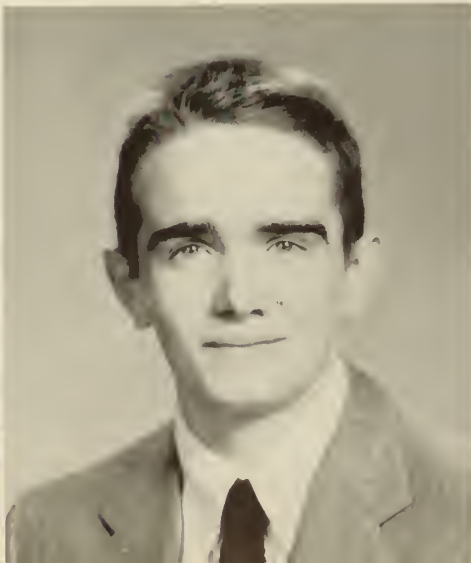
CAROL RIDDELL
32 Walnut Street

A tremendous basketball player . . . talks constantly about her dog "Rouse" . . . one of the Black Notes in the "Westcapades" . . . cheerful personality . . . sure of what she wants and usually gets it . . . can be seen driving a neat '55 Buick around town . . . "Kill it!" . . . senior life saver . . . drove to California and back . . . sang and danced in "Miss Blue Eyes" . . .

"Truth is truth to the end of reckoning."

—Shakespeare

Activities: Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Plays 3, 4; Dance Committee 2; Graduation Usher 2; Class Night Usher 3; Baccalaureate Usher 3; Reception Usher 2, 3; Editorial Staff of Climber 4; Play Usher 3; Office 4; Field Hockey 1.



"So she says—"



"None for me?"

KENNETH ROSS
37 Francis Avenue

Charming and friendly . . . but Carmen never got him . . . ancient weapons in Room 11 . . . loves golf and archery . . . a horseman . . . efficient sports manager . . . afternoons at the Seminary . . . "Of course I'm organized! What page are we on?" . . . the smile that speaks a thousand words . . . clean-cut lad . . .

"He was indeed the glass wherein the noble youth did dress themselves."

—Shakespeare

Activities: Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 4; Class Plays 3, 4; Prom Committee 1, 2; Dance Committee 1, 2; Assembly 1; Climber Business Staff 4; West Wind 4; Class Treasurer 1; Class Secretary 4; Ring Committee 3.



THOMAS ROULSTONE
17 Spring Street

"King Size" . . . enjoys every hour of living . . . "Let me have candy" . . . four years of football with finesse . . . a hearty, raucous laugh says Tommy is here . . . many lives were richer because of his friendship . . . the greatest Cyrano de Bergerac to walk the boards . . . "Is that not true? Thank you" . . .

"From the crown of his head to the sole of his foot, is all mirth."

—Shakespeare

Activities: Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball Manager 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Class Plays 1, 2, 3, 4; Assembly 4; Decorating Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; General Chairman 3; Intramural Basketball 1, 2.



LEON SEMETER
413 Crescent Street

Excellent speaker . . . placed second in the state speech competition . . . in a hurry, always . . . short-wave radios, hunting, fishing . . . Aristotile and Plato . . . demonstrative actor . . . "I disagree with you." . . . authority on the Russian situation and ethics . . . drives a Chevy (or is it a Nash? . . .)

*"True as the needle to the pole,
Or as the dial to the sun."*

—Booth

Activities: Class Plays 1, 2, 3; Basketball 3; Visual Aids 1, 2, 3; Production Manager of the "West Wind" 1, 2, 3, 4; Business Manager of the Climber 4; Highest Salesman of Magazines 1, 2; Knights of Pythias Speaking Contest 3; National Honor Society 3.



"And Brutus is an honorable man."



"Shortwave is better."



"Think it'll work?"



"I didn't know that."



MAXINE SEYFERT

61 Ash Street

"Max" . . . a consistent personality . . .
 "Oh, my goodness!" . . . the elfish grin
 and the cocked head . . . an artist in the
 kitchen . . . a queen over a hot stove . . .
 "Westcapades" singer . . . fried clams . . .
 affable and sincere . . . thorough scholar
 . . .

*"For never anything can be amiss
 When simpleness and duty tender it."*

—Shakespeare

Activities: Dance Committee 1, 2; Class
 Play 3; Costume Committee 4; Climber,
 Typing Staff 4; Library 3.

ROBERT SULLIVAN

140 South Street

"Sully" . . . lean and lanky . . . a dy-
 namic baseball pitcher . . . can be seen
 driving a maroon and black car . . . likes
 spaghetti . . . always happy . . . the low,
 slow voice . . . the "evil eye" . . . eye-
 catching sweaters . . .

*"When looks were fond and words were
 few."*

—Cunningham

Activities: Basketball 1, 3; Baseball 1, 3;
 Dance Committee 1, 2; Prom Committee
 2; Senior Prom 3; Stage Committee 1, 2,
 3, 4.

PAUL TSIKA

264 South Main Street

"Tiska" . . . manager of all sports . . .
 made the keys dance in personal typing . . .
 journalism is his field . . . the smile that
 impresses . . . "Knock—knock—knock"
 . . . mumbling, mumbling . . . the pixiest
 porter of them all . . .

*"A friend may well be reckoned the mas-
 terpiece of Nature."*

—Emerson

Activities: Basketball 1, 3, Manager 4;
 Baseball 1, 2, 3; Football Manager 3, 4;
 Westcapades 3; West Wind 4.



"Don't blow us up, Gorman!"



"I remember the days . . ."

ARLENE VINTON
60 Maolis Avenue

"Vernie" . . . absent—never! . . . enjoys sewing and embroidery . . . received the "W'hoa!" treatment in speech . . . the inquiring eye and the crinkled nose . . . cooks well . . . especially cakes . . . a clever homemaker who can make a house a home with kindness and skill . . .
"The mildest manners, and the gentlest heart."

—Pope

Activities: Assemblies 3; PTA Banquet 2.



STEPHEN YOUNG
135 Prospect Street

"Stevie" . . . the quiet jester . . . new words, new knots . . . "I invented it last night" . . . an elusive enigma . . . talented artist . . . a boy of deep beliefs . . . perceptive . . . completely lovable . . . discovered Browning too late . . . topic of Home Life class . . . rabbits and telephone poles . . .

"He is at no end of his actions
Whose ends will make him greatest, and
not least."

—Chapman

Activities: Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Rod and Reel Club; Audio Visual Aids Club 1, 2, 3; Science Club 4; Ticket Committee 4.



WARREN LINEHAM
160 North Main Street

Courted science and won her . . . whiffled—smothered by a soft hat . . . explored scout . . . taciturn . . . a deep thinker with a love for Voltaire and the modern thinkers . . . chooses his words carefully . . . a perfectionist as a carpenter . . . above all—a gentleman . . .

"The true, strong, and sound mind is the mind that can embrace equally great things and small."

—Johnson

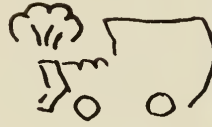
Activities: Audio and Visual Aids Club 1; Junior Prom 2, 3; Science Club 4; President; Westcapades 3; Math Club 4; Decorating Committee 1, 2, 3.



"Didn't you ever hear a rabbit talk?"



... and your excuse?"



Before the Prom

STUDENTS

TEACHERS

Rm. 6

SPEECH

WHOAI!

cream!
softer

Bubble
Bubble

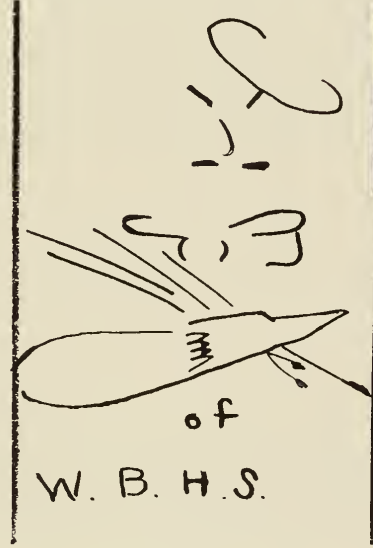
LOUDER!

Blood

Lunch

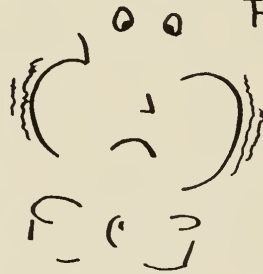
Lines

Artists



of
W. B. H. S.

We sure
needed
a longer
Lunch
Period



Remember The



Faculty Games

CARTOONS
BY
LEE
BROMAN

FACTS AND FIGURES . . .

FRESHMEN

Mr. Vien's experiments . . . "Dot" . . . the parties after school in the Home Economics room . . . new school—new rules . . . always bewildered . . . those bells on our socks . . . bird houses in shop . . . Mr. Wright's teeth . . . Malcolm's broken camera at the basketball game . . . art classes at the park . . . field hockey and football games played in the cow pasture . . . the "pep" rally at the Town Field . . . "Oh, Happy Day" . . . class trip to College Pond . . . cheerleaders' first sock hop . . . our first sports banquet . . . Freshman-Sophomore Social . . . the food in house-arts—and the garbage pail . . . Bobby S. and Jimmy M. made the varsity . . . General Business Training and English picnics at the park . . . how disappointed we were when they changed Howard High to West Bridgewater High School.

SOPHOMORES

That disappointing race with the Juniors from Falmouth . . . parties in French class . . . Latin II picnic at Town Park . . . did Mr. Moss ever use his roller skates? . . . initiating the freshmen . . . those nature walks . . . "Make Yourself Comfortable" . . . "Dragnet" . . . East Bridgewater game and trophy . . . Leon taking a card out of the IBM machine at Foxboro . . . Mr. Pauli's hat . . . Tommy R's run for the door when Plane Geometry was over . . . changed marking system . . . parties at Philipparts' . . . the gay workers in the cafeteria.

JUNIORS

Hurricanes . . . Mr. Irwin's special pronunciation and spelling . . . new tradition—a King of the Junior Prom . . . the pink tree—who did it? . . . those odors traced to the lab . . . the water pistol . . . Mag's experiments . . . the day we received our rings and had a choice . . . the trip to the Phanuef hospital . . . quiz papers signed "His Excellency Christian A. Herter" . . . Marilyn sitting in the water in chemistry . . . the farewell assembly for Mr. Viens . . . chemistry tests and erasers . . . class trip to Falmouth . . . licenses . . . first prize in the cheerleading tournament . . . rock and roll . . . "Unchained Melody" . . . "Let Me Go, Lover" . . . D.A.'s and pony tails . . . cheerleaders cheering for the Celtics . . . boys in senior reception . . . Nanci, Janet, Judy, and Carol rolling out the carpet . . . being allowed to sit in the front row in assemblies.

SENIORS

Polio epidemics and floods . . . the notorious speech classes . . . "Mickey Mouse" . . . the Thanksgiving motorcade . . . the toothpick . . . those powder fight girls . . . Mary Jane's "run over" trig book . . . the locker room—the only place where the girls could sing their song . . . the long pep talks by the co-captains of the football team . . . a coke-machine—finally . . . the pictures in the physics books . . . the girls' basketball team singing the score of "Miss Blue Eyes" . . . Glenn Miller . . . tons of homework . . . assembly line of the newspaper production . . . the "flat" tires . . . the three girls who couldn't stop laughing in "Miss Blue Eyes."

MANY FIRSTS . . . required gym . . . taught by Mr. Moss for four years . . . speech class . . . Westcapades . . . four years in the new school . . . candids . . . a musical comedy . . . a LARGE treasury . . . block hop . . . having our pictures taken at the Prom . . . hood-bye to crowded corridors, lunch money, book reports . . . good-bye to football cheers, warning cards, chemistry smells . . . good-bye to the best friends we'll ever know.



BEHIND THE BOOKSHELF





MAIN STREET

CHAPTER I

ON A HOT day in the summer, when the sun was shining brightly on the pavement, and the air was warm and pleasant, a young man was walking down Main Street, looking at the shops and the people who were passing by. He was a handsome young man, with dark hair and a strong build, and he was dressed in a suit of dark cloth. He was walking with a purpose, and his eyes were fixed on the ground in front of him.

A young woman was walking towards him, and she was looking at him with a smile. She was a pretty young woman, with blonde hair and a delicate face, and she was dressed in a light-colored dress. She was walking with a grace, and her eyes were fixed on the young man.

They were walking towards the end of the street, where the shops were crowded together. The young man was looking at the shops with interest, and the young woman was looking at him with a smile.

They were walking towards the end of the street, where the shops were crowded together. The young man was looking at the shops with interest, and the young woman was looking at him with a smile.

ADVERTISERS

Compliments of

UNIFORM SALON

Uniforms for Nurses, Waitresses,
Beauticians, Maids, Chefs, Etc.

ALSO COMPLETE HOSPITAL ATTIRE

Room 311, Holbrook Bldg.
(opposite elevator)

153 Main St.
Brockton, Mass.

Telephone
Brockton 2189

Compliments
of

THE KNOTTY PINE CLUB

CHARLES E. BAKER

Builder and Contractor

Pleasant Street

WEST BRIDGEWATER, MASS.

Telephone 7529-R

Compliments of

SUPERTIRE CO.

67 Central Square

BRIDGEWATER



JAMES J. MADDEN INSURANCE AGENCY INC.

153 Main Street

Brockton

Brockton 2973

Tuxedos for All Formal Occasions

MARKEY'S

192 Main Street

BROCKTON

LOVEDAY'S

706 Main Street

BROCKTON, MASS.

BOWIE PET SUPPLY STORE

Tropical Fish—Birds—Puppies—Kittens

Complete Line of

FOODS AND ACCESSORIES

284 Main Street

Brockton, Mass

ASACK TURKEY FARMS

Quality Turkeys the Year Around

EDWARD G. ASACK, Prop.

166 South Street

West Bridgewater

Compliments of

JACK WARREN'S VALUE MART, INC.

Men's and Boys' Wear

Headquarters for High School

Gym Needs, Team Jackets

Team Sweaters

48 Main Street Brockton 6049

MILES OIL SERVICE

Heating Oil

Burner Service

404 CRESCENT STREET

WEST BRIDGEWATER, MASS.

Phone Brockton 8-1357



Compliments of

WAKEMAN & WHITNEY

BROCKTON

If Your Car Needs It, We've Got It

Compliments of
the

WEST BRIDGEWATER
POLICE ASSOCIATION

Compliments of

OLD HOMESTEAD
RUG COMPANY

Compliments of

STOCKADE CLUB

**ACE'S
SERVICE STATION**

Gas—Oil—Tires
Lubrication—Accessories
A. CHEYUNSKI, Prop.
Phone 8-2570

Compliments of

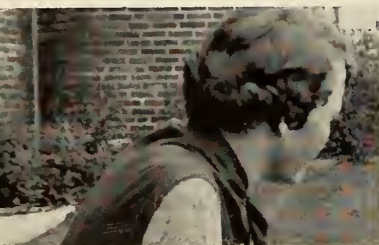
**TRI-TOWN
HARDWARE STORE**

**WETZELL'S SPORT
& MARINE SHOP**

644 Belmont Street, Brockton
MacGREGOR AND WILSON
ATHLETIC EQUIPMENT
EVINRUDE MOTORS AND BRISTOL BOATS

Compliments of

HOCKOMOCK FARMS



Compliments of

**EVERETT E. YOUNG
CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER**

Compliments of

MILKY WAY DAIRY

Distributors of
FINE MILK AND CREAM
Cheyunski Brothers
WEST BRIDGEWATER TEL. 787

Compliments of

BESSE - BAKER'S

Main Street at Legion Parkway
BROCKTON

Brockton's Leading Clothier
for More Than 60 Years

**JULIA'S YARN SHOPPE
BERNAT YARNS**

Open Thursday P.M.

1126 Main St.

Tel. 8-0354

**J. H. FAIRBANKS
COMPANY**

Hardware — Housewares

"Carmote" Paints

Floor and Wall Coverings

Wallpaper

TELEPHONE 702

BRIDGEWATER, MASS.

Compliments of

FERNANDES

SUPER MARKETS, INC.

NORTH EASTON

NORTON AND

EAST BRIDGEWATER

Compliments

of

**ELM SQUARE
PHARMACY**

W. BRIDGEWATER

BLANCHARD

CHEVROLET CO., INC.

325 Broad Street

Route 18

Bridgewater, Mass.

GEORGE A. BLANCHARD

Telephone 2679



Compliments of

**EDMUND'S
BARBER SHOP**

BRIDGEWATER

Compliments of

**GRIFFIN
BUICK COMPANY**

BRIDGEWATER, MASS.

MILLIKEN MOTORS, INC.

Sales Pontiac Service

33 MAIN STREET

TEL. BRIDGEWATER 700

Compliments of

a

FRIEND

**THE
LEONARDS**

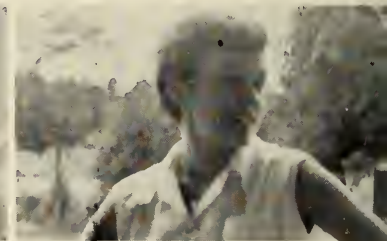
1073 Pleasant Street
BROCKTON, MASS.
Phone 8549

THE DAVIDSON STUDIO
PHOTOGRAPHERS
West Shopping Center
Brockton 1124

Compliments of

A FRIEND

BEST WISHES
GEORGE CELIA, JR.
GENERAL INSURANCE
Brockton
Telephone 599



Best Wishes

KATHRYN M. GRADY
BROCKTON, MASS.

Congratulations to the
Class of '56

**SOUTH SHORE
MARINE**

L. D. H. FULLER, D.M.D.
Dentist

Tel. Brockton 5222
161 Howard St., West Bridgewater
PATIENTS BY APPOINTMENT

Compliments of

A. A. FRANCESCO

**GARY SIMSON
BATTERIES**

Good Luck, Seniors
Work Hard and Progress Well
JOSEPH B. JACOBSON

Compliments of
RICHARD'S CORNER MARKET
CY HUGHES
BOB LARKIN
4 Plain Street
W. Bridgewater
Telephone 8-3880

Compliments of the
MISS MUFFETT DAY NURSERY
220 COPELAND STREET
WEST BRIDGEWATER, MASS.

JAMES P. SHEEHAN'S
Religious Gift Shop
256 MAIN STREET
BROCKTON, MASS.
Telephone 6535



Compliments of
**HERB'S
SHELL STATION**
BRIDGEWATER, MASS.

Compliments
**GREENFIELD FARM
AUCTION GALLERY**
Bill Couite

Compliments
POOLE'S MARKET
North Elm Street
WEST BRIDGEWATER

**WARREN E. HARRIS
CITIES SERVICE**
Oil—Gas—Tires—Batteries
Used Cars—Accessories
4 PLAIN STREET
WEST BRIDGEWATER
Telephone 8534

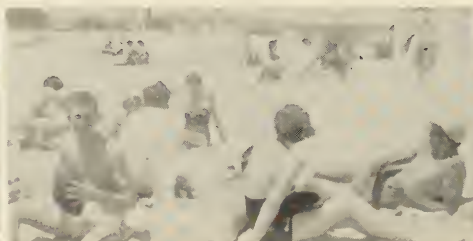
Compliments of
CROWLEY BROTHERS

Compliments of
**FRANK HOWE
TURKEY FARM**

40 Ash Street
W. BRIDGEWATER, MASS.
Phone 643-M-1

Compliments of
GURNEY BROTHERS CO.
Jewelers Since 1841
101 MAIN STREET
BROCKTON, MASS.

Compliments of
**DORR'S
PRINT SHOP**
BRIDGEWATER, MASS.



Compliments of
**CAMPELLO
COAL COMPANY**

Compliments
of
BUNCY'S

Best Wishes to
the Class
PARSON'S FLORIST
816 Main Street
BROCKTON, MASS.
Telephone Broc. 4648-W

Compliments of
**ERNIE'S TELEVISION
& APPLIANCES**
BRIDGEWATER, MASS.
Telephone 2019

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE
CLASS OF '56

From

H. P. HOOD & SONS

**Manufacturers and Distributors of
Quality Dairy Products Since 1846**

Congratulations to
Class of 1956
From
BOB & KEN'S RESTAURANT

Compliments of
BURQUE'S SERVICE STATION
COMPLETE ONE-STOP SERVICE

Engine Tune-Up
Wheel Balancing

Automatic Car Washing
Automatic Tire Changing

8. No. Main St. West Bridgewater
TELEPHONE 429-W-1



Compliments of
PIERCE
REFRIGERATION COMPANY

387 North Elm Street West Bridgewater
TELEPHONE BROCKTON 1088

Compliments of
READ BROTHERS GARAGE
Studebaker Cars and Trucks
WEST BRIDGEWATER

Compliments of

DAIRYLEE

MANLEY STREET
WEST BRIDGEWATER

**WEST BRIDGEWATER
HOME LAUNDRY**

467 West Center St.
Tel. Brockton 207-w-2

**WOODWARD'S
AUTO SPRING SHOP, INC.**

Automotive Jobbers and Distributors

REPAIRS OF ALL KINDS

164 - 172 North Montello St.

BROCKTON 13, MASS.

Telephones 3609 and 8032

Compliments of

**BARBOUR
WELDING COMPANY**
BROCKTON, MASSACHUSETTS



Congratulations to the
Class of '56

JOSEPH J. BRAGA

Good Grooming
and Beauty Aids for the
"TEEN-AGER"

**DUNNINGTON'S
APOTHECARIES**



Compliments of

MINOT EDSON

Compliments of
R. E. MacDONALD
Electrical Contractor
WEST BRIDGEWATER

Compliments
of the
**SOPHOMORE
CLASS**

Compliments
of the
CLASS OF '57



Compliments of
**WEST BRIDGEWATER
WOODWORKING COMPANY**

Compliments of
HOPPY'S OIL SERVICE

Compliments of
REV. ROBERT N. MEFFAN
SAINT ANN'S CHURCH

Compliments of
WALTON'S POTATO CHIP COMPANY

Distributors of Wise Potato Chips

Brockton, Mass.

Telephone J321



BEST WISHES
A. R. PARKER, COMPANY
Route 106 East Bridgewater
FINER ICE CREAM

**INDEPENDENT
NAIL AND PACKING COMPANY**

"The Stronghold Line"
BRIDGEWATER, MASS.

Compliments of

WILLOW BROOK DAIRY

C. E. LEONARD, Prop.

Milk, Cream, and Eggs

11 Willow Street

West Bridgewater, Mass.

Tel. Brockton 7641-M



Congratulations
to
the Class of '56

WEST - CRESTS

ELM SQUARE GARAGE

ALBERT E. WILLIAMS, Prop.

Gulf Products—General Repairs

Compliments of Your Friendly

FERNANDES

SUPER MARKETS

NORTH EASTON

NORTON

EAST BRIDGEWATER

RANDOLPH

Congratulations
to the Class of '56

COMPLIMENTS OF

D. D. NORTH SIGNS

Brockton, Mass.

"This above all; to thine own self be true
And it must follow, as the night the day,
Thou canst not then be false to any man."

Best Wishes From EBENWOOD FARM
MR. AND MRS. FRED L. REED

Compliments of
H. W. MOLD



Compliments of
BETTER HOMES CLUB

COROLA, INC.
567 Warren Avenue
Frigidaire Sales and Service
Brockton Tel. 9477

**PILLSBURY'S
GREENHOUSES**
Flowers for All Occasions
506 North Main Street

THE ART SHOP
59 East Elm Street
Fine Artists' Materials, Oils,
Water Colors, Papers, Etc.
Drawing Instruments and Slide Rules
Brockton Tel. 1159
NOKES' SIGN SHOP

Compliments of

**MONTY'S
CYCLE SHOP**
WEST BRIDGEWATER

W. R. MORSE

HATTER AND FURNISHER
1108 Main Street
Campello 30, Mass.

Good Luck and Best Wishes
to the Senior Class of 1956

**GLAD - ACRE
FARMS**

Route 106

West Bridgewater, Mass.



Best Wishes to the Class of 1956

PARAMOUNT CLEANERS

BROCKTON, MASS.

Laboratory Supervision

From Producer to Consumer

HILLCREST FARMS DAIRY, INC.

501 N. MAIN STREET
WEST BRIDGEWATER, MASS.

Tel. 7926



Compliments of

**LUCINI
MOTOR SALES, INC.**

Always First With the
Latest in Footwear

LANOUE BROS.

45 Legion Parkways
BROCKTON, MASS.
Telephone 1501

Compliments
of

GINN'S ATLANTIC SERVICE

2 WEST CENTER STREET
WEST BRIDGEWATER, MASS.
Telephone Brockton 9699

"You Can Get Most Anything
at Ben's"

BEN'S

5c - \$1.00 STORE, INC

Campello
1122 Main St.
Phone Broc. 1586
OPEN EVERY EVENING

Best Wishes to the
Class of 1956

WEST BRIDGEWATER HIGH SCHOOL

COMPONENT MANUFACTURING SERVICE INC.



Compliments of

MILLER SHOE STORE

Compliments of
BRIDGEWATER SAVINGS BANK



OAKDALE PACKING CO.

378 Pleasant Street
East Bridgewater, Mass.

Best Wishes to the
Class of '56

FRANK SANBORN Realtor

Congratulations

to the

Class of '56

From

**THE WEST BRIDGEWATER
HIGH SCHOOL
PARENT - TEACHERS
ASSOCIATION**

Compliments of

JOHN J. KENT

ALLEN SHOE STORE

1146 Main St.

Opposite Market St.

CAMPELLO, MASS.

All Types of Silppers and
Rubber Footwear

First Quality Shoes at
Reasonable Prices

Compliments of

**JAY'S
DAIRY MAID**

PHILLIP R. LAGERSTADT

Jeweler — Watchmaker

CAMPELLO, MASS.

1062 Main Street

Phone 8-0299



Compliments of

**WEST BRIDGEWATER
FIREFIGHTERS'
ASSOCIATION**

A. M. GAMBAO & SON

Truck Bodies Built and Repaired

BLACKSMITH

Telephone 8-1588

620 NORTH ELM STREET

WEST BRIDGEWATER

Compliments of

**CYNTHIA'S
BEAUTY SALON**

Central Square

WEST BRIDGEWATER

TELEPHONE BROCKTON 6935-W

Compliments of

CROWLEY'S MARKET

Compliments of

KEMP TRANSPORTATION

West Bridgewater

TAFT'S, INC.

Jewelers

1120 Main St. (Campello) Brockton, Mass.



Compliments of

BROWNE'S SPORT SHOP

16 CENTRE STREET

BROCKTON, MASS.

Athletic Equipment Outfitters to Schools
and Colleges Since 1930

TELEPHONE 8-0201

Compliments of

WEST BRIDGEWATER MOTHERS' CLUB

Compliments of

SAM CHOLESTON INSURANCE COMPANY

Compliments of

MAPLE ARENA

Roller Skating at Its Best
NORTH MAIN STREET
BROCKTON, MASS.

Compliments of

ARTHUR PETERS BARREL COMPANY



COMPLIMENTS
of the

WEST BRIDGEWATER BARBER SHOP

COMPLIMENTS
of the

CAFETERIA STAFF

Compliments of

BILLY BURKE'S RECORD SHOP

BROCKTON, MASS.

THE OCKERS COMPANY

Your Headquarters for —
BOOKS — COLLEGE OUTLINE SERIES
PERSONALIZED GREETING CARDS
PORTABLE TYPEWRITER SALES — SERVICE
Agents for Underwood Corporation

230 Main Street

Brockton
Opposite Belmont Street

Tel. 6028

Compliments of THE STUDENT COUNCIL



Complete Machine Shop Service
AUTO TIRES AND SUPPLIES

Wholesale and Retail

**A. F. GERMAN CO.
INCORPORATED**

1159 Main Street Campello 69, Mass.
Tel. 1303-1302 Brockton
Barnstable Road Hyannis, Mass.
Tel. Hyannis 1006

CADET CLEANERS

CAMPELLO
MASSACHUSETTS

DUNBAR'S VARIETY

CAMPELLO
MASSACHUSETTS

**CURRIERS
GIFT AND FRAME
SHOP**

BROCKTON
MASSACHUSETTS

COMPLIMENTS

of

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sullivan
Mrs. Ruth Twomey
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cogswell
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Anglim
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon M. Lovell
Mr. and Mrs. Max Seyfert
B. A. Benson
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth C. Nickerson
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ledin
Mr. and Mrs. George Noonan
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hager
Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hollertz
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Carlson
Mr. and Mrs. Crosby Alger
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bowman
Mr. and Mrs. William Phillips
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kundzicz
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Porter
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jordan
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Young
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burnap
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brophy
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bordeaux
Loring B. Anderson
Mr. and Mrs. John Howe
Kenneth Harlow
Mr. and Mrs. George Earl, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Clark
Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Bursaw
Mr. and Mrs. Horace Peterson
Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Gifford

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Valentine
Ralph Wise
Mr. Shurtleff
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Keith
Mrs. Rose Douglas
Mr. and Mrs. John Kent
Mr. and Mrs. Reno Martelli
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McDonald
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Buker
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Grundberg
Mrs. Maurice Twomey
Mr. and Mrs. M. A. MacLean
Mrs. E. W. Mansfield
Mr. and Mrs. T. Stuart Alden
Mr. and Mrs. Irving Steffen, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm S. Dalton
Mr. and Mrs. E. Eatton Adams
Mr. and Mrs. Robert McFadden
Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Curley
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rossi
Mr. and Mrs. Morrison
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin R. Demers
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rondeau
Mr. and Mrs. Irving Steffan, Sr.
Miss L. Moncey
Mr. and Mrs. Oliver K. Ness
Mrs. Steptoe
Mrs. Coffee
Mr. Edward Deshayes
Mr. and Mrs. F. Eldon Hambly
Mr. and Mrs. Moreau
Robert Larkin

COMPLIMENTS

of

A Friend	Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reynolds
Arthur G. Nelson, Sr.	Mr. George E. Baker
A Friend	Mrs. Mary Bailey
Mr. Earle	Mr. and Mrs. Weston Andrews
Mr. Pratt	Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bird
Mrs. Kingman	Mr. and Mrs. William A. Riddell
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Howard	Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh A. Holden
Kenneth Almquist	Mr. and Mrs. Myron Mather
Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Kheary	Mrs. Mary Chaves
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson	Mr. and Mrs. Amos Chaves
Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Nelson	Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bergeron
Mr. George George	Mrs. Anna Penpraese
Mr. and Mrs. Evan A. Bowen	Roger Coelho
Mr. and Mrs. Emil H. Ohman	Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Guarino
Miss Julia Young	Mr. and Mrs. William Brown
Mr. and Mrs. George Dalton	Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Ahlborg
Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill	Mr. and Mrs. Robert Berglund
Mr. Scranton	Mr. and Mrs. George Meurling
Mr. and Mrs. Burt	Mr. and Mrs. Frank Malony
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson	Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry
Mr. Bert Merrill	Mr. and Mrs. Robert Daley
Mr. McLean	Mr. and Mrs. Harry Greene
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas	Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gorman, Sr.
Dr. and Mrs. Patrick V. McDonough	Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson
Dr. and Mrs. Walter K. Chisholm	Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pierce
Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lendh	Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sullivan
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Badger	Mrs. Ruth Twomey
Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Reed	Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cogswell
Joseph Moreira	Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Anglim
Mr. and Mrs. Warren K. Broman	Mr. and Mrs. Gordon M. Lovell
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lundin	West Wind Staff



Our Balfour Rings Are Here!

WE SALUTE YOU!

Congratulations and the best of luck! We are proud at Loring of the part we have had in helping to make your class book a permanent reminder of your school years, recording with photographs one of the happiest and most exciting times of your life. We hope that, just as you have chosen us as your class photographer, you will continue to think of Loring Studios when you want photographs to help you remember other momentous days to come! When you choose Loring portraits, you are sure of the finest craftsmanship at the most moderate prices!

LORING STUDIO

New England's Largest School Photographers

ORCHIDS TO . . .

THE FACULTY . . . for accepting, without a murmur, the invasion of photographers upon the sacred territories of English, French, chemistry, and other educational processes. Your cooperation was deeply appreciated by this staff.

MR. J. HARRINGTON, studio photographer, for his superb artistry in producing the fine art photography on the title pages. His judgment and sensitivity created the exquisite lighting that effected these photographs.

MRS. GLADYS KEITH, secretary, for cheerfully announcing, day after day, the monotonous words—"There will be a Climber meeting in Room 11 at . . ."

MASTER PAUL MONCEY, a fourth grade student, for lending his collection of armored knights, ship models, and Greek pillars to the art staff.

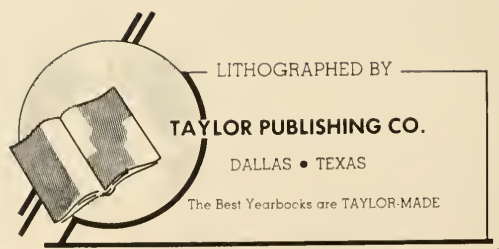
MR. EARL GIFFORD, father of our Marilyn, for lending us the antique pocketbook and rare coins seen on page 93. The collection of coins is a treasured family heirloom, and we appreciate the use of it.


THE PARENTS, the fathers and mothers of staff members, for allowing the clutter of paper clips, rulers, and ink to enter their living rooms.

Thank you, too, for having wonderful children. Your sons and daughters worked diligently under the pressures of time and opinion, and showed a fine core of tenacity and eagerness given to them only by you.

IDENTIFICATION OF BABY PICTURES

- | | |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| (1) Charlotte Anderson | (20) David Alden |
| (2) Thomas Roulstone | (21) Joan Jordan |
| (3) Judith Nelson | (22) Stephen Young |
| (4) William Allen | (23) Lorena Douglas |
| (5) Jean Badger | (24) James Mullins |
| (6) Philip Ohman | (25) Judith Nickerson |
| (7) Barbara Reynolds | (26) Malcolm Carlson |
| (8) Kenneth Ross | (27) Arlene Vinton |
| (9) Margaret Phillips | (28) Joanne Poole |
| (10) Carol Riddell | (29) Mercedith Clark |
| (11) Marshall Broman | (30) Edith Bailey |
| (12) Judith Peterson | (31) Marilyn Gifford |
| (13) Peter Reed | (32) Carolyn Churchill |
| (14) Maxine Seyfert | (33) Nanci Greene |
| (15) Esther Baker | (34) George Kinney |
| (16) Norman Lundin | (35) Jane Mather |
| (17) Robert Coelho | (36) Janet Lendh |
| (18) Judith Pierce | (37) Julia Bassett |
| (19) Lorraine Bordeaux | (38) Leon Semeter |





Closing the Ring

Closing
the Ring

Houghton Mifflin
Company



